

THE COMANCHE CHIEF

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HOWELL NOW RELIEF CHAIRMAN

20 Years Ago

From The Comanche Chief, July 24, 1914

The State tax rate has been reduced and set at 37 1-2 cents and the County tax rate has been set by the Commissioners Court at 43 cents, making a total of 80 1-2 cents for State and County. The total rendition of the county will run a little above that of last year, or about \$12,000,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Jones announce the birth of a daughter. At the Log Rolling last week Nugent Durham and Martin Wetzel tied for the prize offered for the tallest Woodman present; A. Watt Wilkes got the prize for the heaviest man; W. R. Evans for the lightest; E. B. Atterbury for the oldest, and Lloyd Nicholson for the youngest. Mrs. S. J. Thomas is visiting in Chataqua, New York. The Green family held a reunion Thursday on the banks of Indian Creek with more than 200 present according to Uncle Bill Green.

The brick plant is now running on full time and turning out the prettiest kind of white brick. Eighteen or twenty hands are employed and it should soon be one of Comanche's leading industries.

Oscar Callaway has spent only \$207.50 in his campaign for reelection to Congress while his opponent, R. F. Milam, Mayor of Fort Worth, spent \$2,872.82 according to statements filed. Comanche County needs a man in Congress. Give Fort Worth the Congressman at this time and we may say good-bye to the hopes of ever filling this office from Comanche County and this county will lose the advertising it has as being the home of the Congressman from the 12th District.

The Election Judges in Comanche for Saturday will be J. W. Cunningham for Box No. 1 and A. F. Blue for Box No. 2.

Around 3000 votes are expected to be polled in Saturday's primary.

Marriage Licenses: Gould Hooker and Miss Ina E. Kimble; T. P. Harrison and Mrs. M. A. Harrison; C. W. Morrison and Miss Alice B. Pell; Oran Gregg and Miss Lottie Hicks; J. C. Wilkerson and Miss May Brightman; W. S. Fowler and Miss Nettie Vera Estes.

A Union Revival Meeting was begun Sunday at the Skating Rink.

A million dollar deal was closed in New York this week by which the Higginbotham-Bailey-Logan Company of Dallas takes over the wholesale drygood business of the Harris-Lintz Company. Rufus Higginbotham is the head of a chain of retail stores in this section and this gives him control of three large wholesale houses in Dallas.

In addition to selecting candidates for the fall Democratic ticket, the primary Saturday will determine whether or not a state wide prohibition election must be ordered by the Legislature. The vote will be for or against submission.

Uncle Jack Wright was painfully injured by a cow last week which ran over him and struck him with her horns and he is now confined to his bed.

Flood Gate At Lake Brownwood Is Almost Closed

The north flood gate at Lake Brownwood was practically closed last week after workmen successfully completed a two weeks' fight to force it shut while some 10,000 acre feet of water flowed out of the lake, according to The Brownwood Bulletin. The gate is standing open only a few inches now after engineers decided not to force it down any further. Only a very small stream of water now is running under the gate and the lake would never be drained at the rate the water is running out, it was de-

The gates at Lake Brownwood are opened on June 27 when 10,000 acre feet of water was let to the growers in Wharton and Matagorda Counties, and it was when the closing of the gate started that one stuck, and was at first thought that all water in the lake would be lost.

Rev. C. Haynes returned Friday afternoon from Lamkin where he held a two weeks' revival at the Methodist Church.

FIRST STATE IS NOW THE STATE NATIONAL BANK

The First State Bank of Comanche became the State National Bank in Comanche last week when the application for the change which had been on file for some time at Washington was approved by the National Banking authorities.

The change from a State to a National bank will give the institution added advantages under the new set-up for banks by the federal government.

All deposits of the bank are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and the institution is a member of the Federal Reserve System.

The bank, according to its published statement has assets of more than three hundred and thirty thousand dollars and a capital stock of \$50,000 with \$9,000 surplus and profits, and deposits of approximately \$281,000.

The First State Bank was organized in December, 1910 with Judge J. E. Gray as President and E. E. Anthony, present president, as Cashier. Mr. Anthony, who was responsible for its organization, had previously been connected with the other three banks which were then operating in Comanche.

Mr. Anthony came to Comanche in 1893 as telegraph operator for the Fort Worth & Rio Grande Railway and entered the banking business in 1899 when he accepted a position with the Comanche National Bank. He held that position until 1903 when he helped organize the F. & M. Bank with W. H. Montgomery as President and Mr. Anthony as Cashier. In 1906 the F. & M. Bank was sold to Ned Holman and J. W. Cunningham.

The First State Bank was organized with a capital of \$25,000 and this was later increased to \$35,000 and in 1919 when the F. & M. Bank was consolidated with it, the capital was increased to \$65,000.

In addition to the F. & M. Bank the First State has liquidated two other banking institutions, the J. P. Pettit Bank of Gustine and the First National Bank of Comanche in 1927.

Directors of the First State Bank at the time of its organization in addition to Mr. Anthony and Judge Gray were: T. H. Tugue, J. H. Tate, W. T. Huff, W. T. Powers, James Dewitt, A. H. Breen, J. R. Davenport, and L. B. Russell.

Officers of the new State National Bank are the same as that of the First State at the time of the change. They are: E. E. Anthony, President; J. F. Tate, Vice President; J. W. Moore, Cashier; Harold Denny, Assistant Cashier.

Stockholders and directors of the new bank are also the same as before it was converted into a national institution.

LOCAL COACH HAS RESIGNED

Ray Glasscock, Comanche High School athletic coach for the past two years, resigned his position with the local school last week according to an official announcement received by the school board.

Mr. and Mrs. Glasscock have accepted positions in the Lakeview School, Torr Green County, according to the announcement. The school board has made no announcement as to the successor of Mr. Glasscock.

Measuring of Cotton Land Is Underway Now

(By J. A. Barton, Co. Agent) Twenty-five men started to work in Comanche County Thursday to measure the 1100 contracts that were signed up in the 1934-35 volunteer cotton sign-up. Co-operating farmers are asked to be present and point out to committees who will visit farms, the land planted to cotton and the land that was rented to the Secretary of Agriculture, and aid inspectors to measure land. All farmers have their copy of the 1934-35 cotton contract and

Chief Prepares To Gather the Election Returns

The Comanche Chief, through the co-operation of the merchants, will handle the Election Returns from over the county, as has been the custom in the past, using the Bulletin Board near the Band Stand.

N. A. Palmer, County Chairman, will have his headquarters at The Chief on the night of the election and under a new law, the presiding officer of each voting box must make a report to him, either in person or by telephone as soon as the votes are counted. Mr. Palmer can be reached at No. 2.

We will appreciate the co-operation of the election managers in telephoning the returns from each box as soon as they are available.

Remember that a big crowd will be anxiously waiting for the returns to come in and we want them as fast as possible.

—The Comanche Chief.

RUSSELL QUILTS GOVERNOR RACE

Edward K. Russell, "bone dry" candidate for governor of Texas, withdrew from the race July 19. He explained in a statement that it was doubtful if he would be in the run-off, and he wanted his supporters "to have some voice in determining who will be the two leading candidates."

"Because of the great problems confronting our state, I feel that it is but fair, and anything else would be unbecoming of me, that I permit my friends to have some voice and expression in determining who will be the two leading candidates in the first primary, since my being one of these is in doubt," he said.

"I want it definitely understood that I am not withdrawing from the race in behalf of any other candidate," he added, "and I want to urge upon the people of Texas to weigh carefully the qualifications of the candidates in this race and on election day vote their sincere convictions."

Russell, a farmer and business man of Red River county, based his campaign on a program of providing homes for the destitute and the creation of jobs for the unemployed. He also urged that prohibition be retained and enforced. His withdrawal from the race leaves six other candidates asking for the office.

Hog Contracts Will Be Ready By August 1st

(By J. A. Barton, Co. Agent) W. J. Fritts, A. H. Caraway and O. S. Cox, the Hog Allotment Committee, are rapidly getting into shape the 424 corn-hog contracts that will soon be ready for signing in preparation for sending to Washington for payment.

The Committee said that an adjustment was necessary as ordered by the State Board, but even at that some \$38,000 will be paid to co-operating corn-hog farmers in Comanche County for the year, 1934, making an average of about \$89 per farmer.

The County Allotment Committee urges that all farmers look well in the fulfillment of their corn-hog contracts and that accurate records be kept of all litters farrowed and hogs raised and sold with evidence from the purchaser as to weight and date sold. A second inspection will be made of all corn-hog contract signers in December where records will be expected to be presented to inspector at time of inspection.

The County Agent has a number of excellent record books for corn-hog farmers to keep their records. These books are free and can be secured by sending or calling for them.

must have staked off the amount of land rented to the Secretary of Agriculture. These staked off rented acres must be shown to the cotton inspectors who come to measure the land.

A performance certificate must be signed up at the time the land is measured so it is very important that each signer be present.

POLLS WILL OPEN HERE AT 8:00 A. M. SATURDAY

The polls will open for the Democratic Primary Election tomorrow morning at the thirty three voting boxes in Comanche County at eight o'clock and the voting will continue until seven p. m.

With interest in the district, county and precinct races at high pitch, at least 4500 votes are expected to be polled in the county. Every office except that of the County Attorney and the new tax office is contested with with some of the races having as many as six entries.

Voters in Box No. 1 at Comanche will cast their ballots as usual at the Court House Annex while those of voting Box No. 2 will vote at the building on the north side of the square, recently used for the storage of wool. The building is near the middle of the block.

Connally Leads For Senator In Press Straw Vote

Senator Tom Connally polled a tremendous majority over both his opponents in the straw vote taken recently by the Fort Worth Press. Ballots were sent to Press subscribers in Fort Worth and its suburbs.

Final returns were as follows:

Tom Connally	1011
Joseph W. Bailey, Jr.	628
Guy B. Fisher	145

EXPENSES ARE FILED BY COUNTY OFFICE SEEKERS

Forty-seven candidates for precinct and county offices in Comanche County have spent, so far, \$3418.26 according to expense accounts filed in County Clerk Bob Haynes' office. This is a cost estimate of 75 cents for each vote available in this county. The counts range from a low of \$1.00 for a constable candidate to \$341.20 for a candidate for a county office who is running without opposition and had to pay most of that amount as a fee to get his name on the ticket.

Candidates for County office are limited to an expense of \$300 not including the amount they had to pay to the Democratic Executive Committee to get their names on the ticket. The amount filed above by the candidates also includes the amount they paid the committee, so even the candidate who has spent the most, has spent only a small fractional part that is allowed by law.

The total accounts filed by the candidates follow:

W. J. Rankin, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$29.75; C. H. Morrow, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$45.35; W. T. House for County Judge, \$109.60; E. H. McCarty, for Commissioner Precinct No. 3, \$85.60; Wid Spivey, for Sheriff, \$117.90; Mrs. Golda McCollum Edwards, for County Treasurer, \$79.65; Sam Todd, for County Treasurer, \$93.95.

H. L. Stewart, for County Judge, \$100.00; R. S. Walker, for County Supt. \$102.80; R. W. Fielder, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$30.10; E. R. Armstrong, for Tax Collector and Assessor, \$341.30; F. L. Little, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$21.50; R. A. Kee, for Commissioner Precinct No. 4, \$41.00; I. M. Davis, for County Treasurer, \$110.00; Will May, for Commissioner Precinct No. 2, \$39.20; Geo. Hulsey, for County Treasurer, \$90.27; W. H. Scott, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$31.85.

Dwight Brightman, for Sheriff, \$119.90; H. S. Freeman, for Commissioner Precinct No. 4, \$32.60; L. A. Gleaton, for Commissioner Precinct No. 2, \$55.35; J. R. Byrd, for Commissioner Precinct No. 1, \$31.55; John Reese, for County Clerk, \$129.70; W. L. Jar, for Commissioner Precinct No. 4, \$31.64; J. V. White, for Justice Peace Precinct No. 5, \$19.50; J. E. Underhill, for Constable Prec. No. 5, \$7.50; T. D. Robnett, for Commission-

County Chairman Issues Warning On Illegal Voting

Owing to persistent rumors that some of our citizens who have not paid their poll tax, are intending to vote in the Primary Election next Saturday, I deem it advisable to WARN all such that it is a violation of the law to vote or attempt to cast an illegal vote and a penalty of two to five years in the penitentiary is prescribed by law.

No good citizen wants to violate the law and others should not do it.

N. A. PALMER, County Chairman.

FOUR CHARGED WITH BURGLARY

Four Comanche youths were arrested on burglary charges Monday morning by the Sheriff's department and their bonds fixed at \$1000 each.

Winlow Magness was released after he had executed a bond. Up to Thursday morning Eugene and Raymond Wines and J. D. Cloud were still being held pending the execution of their bonds.

The arrests were made Monday morning after Sheriff Brightman received a telephone call Sunday afternoon that prowlers were seen on top of the Peoples Store building. On investigation officers found a 30-foot rope on top of the building and a glass had been removed from the skylight. No loss was reported from the store.

Officers are investigating two other burglaries. Joe Wagner's residence was entered Saturday night by prowlers who cut the screen and unlatched the door. Several suits of clothes, a number of shirts, a watch and other belongings were taken. Mrs. B. W. Speed's residence was entered Sunday night and costume jewelry and other articles valued at approximately \$40 were taken.

GUSTINE CHOSEN BY OLD SETTLERS

Gustine was awarded the 1935 meeting of the Comanche County Old Settlers Re-Union at the conclusion of the recent meeting of the Association at Board Church. Balloting was taken on Comanche and Gustine as the meeting place and Gustine was announced as the winner by about twenty votes.

R. A. Luker was re-elected President of the Association. Other officers chosen were J. M. Williford, Vice President; D. E. Nabers, Secretary and L. B. Russell, Treasurer. In addition to the officers the following were elected members of the Executive Committee, Charles Carruth, W. J. Fritts, W. D. Sturkie, Walter Loudermilk, and Charles Craig.

er Precinct No. 4, \$41.40; Mrs. J. M. Riordan, for District Clerk, \$84.50; R. T. Stevens, for Sheriff, \$104.20.

Bob Haynes, for County Clerk, \$111.35; Ed Lightfoot, for Commissioner Precinct No. 4, \$80.10; C. C. Hampton, for County Attorney, \$117.95; W. B. Smith, for Justice of Peace Precinct No. 5, \$13.52; W. R. Dyson, for Constable Precinct No. 5, \$1.00; G. M. Strickland, for Commissioner Precinct No. 4, \$26.00; Sam Lewis, for Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, \$44.75; B. Ray McCorkle, for County Supt., \$110.00; H. F. Howington, for District Clerk, \$85.60; J. Oscar Swindle, for County Supt., \$86.50; J. H. Burton, for County Clerk, \$137.50.

Ben Wilhelm, for District Clerk, \$87.52; Don Chaney, for Constable Precinct No. 1, \$8.50; Y. W. Holmes, for Representative. (Continued on Last Page)

CONTRACTS FOR CATTLE SALES BEING SIGNED

(By J. A. Barton, Co. Agent)

250 Emergency Cattle Contracts had been signed up to Tuesday night with 2750 head of cattle listed for sale by farmers of Comanche County under the new drouth aid measure for the benefit of stockmen and farmers who are overstocked and short of water and feed.

Mrs. Mary L. Smith will have charge of the sign-up in the County Agent's office. Farmers are to sign up a preliminary work sheet, which calls for the number of animals, 2 years and above, at a set price of \$12 to \$20; second class, 1 year to 2 years, \$10 to \$15; under 1 year, \$4 to \$8. Farmers must have owned cattle since April 1, 1934.

Farmers must sign applications. If there are leinholders their signature must be secured by the producer.

An inspector, and appraiser will be sent to the farm. Cattle must be penned and sorted according to ages before inspector arrives. Farmers will be notified one or two days in advance. Farmers have the right to reject the officer made by the appraiser. Cattle that are accepted must be moved to shipping point. Probably shipping points will be at De Leon, Comanche, Proctor, Sims Springs. Cattle condemned will be destroyed on the farm.

Payments will be made as follows: Cattle agreement will be carried to the shipping point and signed by the receiver of cattle, then carried or sent to the Co. Agent's office, where it will be signed and sent to Kansas City where it will be checked for mailing of checks to co-operating farmers.

Farmers who sign to sell their cattle must and do agree to co-operate with a further general program looking to an adjustment in both the dairy and beef cattle industry by the Secretary of Agriculture.

An estimate of around 34,000 head of cattle in Comanche County with probably 1000 farmers signing up for an estimate of 12,000 head of cattle or an estimate of \$100,000.

New Money Order Rule Is In Effect

A new rule regulating the cashing of money orders at post-offices other than the one to which the order is sent is now in effect and should be known by every person who sends or receives such orders. Postmaster J. R. Eanes has stated.

When a money order is cashed now at a post office other than the one to which it was sent, the post office cashing the order will make a charge equal to that charged by the office from which the order was sent. In other words, if a person sends a money order for which he was charged 15 cents, and it is cashed at some office other than the one named in the order, 15 cents will be collected by the cashing office. If the order is cashed at the office to which it is sent, no charge will be made. Before this new rule went into effect, a money order could be cashed at any post office without charge.

The rates for money orders are: 6 cents for orders in amounts of 1 cent to \$2.50; 8 cents for \$2.51 to \$5; 11 cents for \$5.01 to \$10; 12 cents for \$10.01 to \$20; 15 cents for \$20.01 to \$40; 18 cents for \$40.01 to \$60; 20 cents for \$60.01 to \$80; 22 cents for \$80.01 to \$100.

COUNTY CONVENTION

A County Convention of the Democrats of Comanche County is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Comanche on Saturday afternoon, August 4th, at 2 o'clock. The County Convention will be made up of delegates from the various election boxes of the county.

The purpose of the County Convention is to elect delegates to the State Democratic Convention and all other business that may properly come before the convention.—N. A. PALMER, County Chairman.

Fulton Foster, of California, enroute from the Chicago World's Fair, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Morris.

FORMER COUNTY COMMISSIONER TAKES UP DUTIES

Grady Howell, of Comanche and Proctor, and former Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, was elected Chairman of the Comanche County Relief Association recently and took charge of the office Thursday of last week.

Mr. Howell succeeds C. P. Little, Jr., of Belton, who came to Comanche soon after the work was re-organized last fall and his appointment was temporary, to last three months, or until the organization was perfected. Mr. Little succeeded C. D. Statum, Sr., who resigned on account of ill health. Mr. Little will remain in Comanche until August 1st in order to assist Mr. Howell in becoming acquainted with the work.

Mr. Howell was born at Proctor in 1893 and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Howell of that community. After graduating from Proctor High School he took up farming and enlisted in the army during the World War and served eighteen months.

Mr. Howell was elected Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 in 1928 and was re-elected without opposition in 1930. He was not a candidate for re-election in 1932.

Experience as a Commissioner and in other business, especially renders Mr. Howell well qualified for his new position and his knowledge of road work will be of special value to him, as some of the drouth relief funds granted Comanche County, is to be spent on lateral roads of the county.

Republicans To Hold Primary In Texas This Year

Primary election have to be held by the Republican party in Texas this year according to law because so many votes were polled for the party's candidate for governor two years ago when Orville Bullington ran against Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson.

The state Republican ticket is as follows:

For United States Senator, U. S. Goen of El Paso.

For Associate Justice, Supreme Court, Irl F. Kennerly of Houston.

For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, S. E. Fish of Amarillo.

For Governor, D. E. Waggoner of Dallas.

For Lieutenant Governor, Lester Gaust of Corpus Christi.

For Attorney General, Thomas E. Ball of Fort Worth.

For Comptroller of Public Accounts, John W. Miller of Tyler.

For State Treasurer, E. N. Mulkey of Sherman.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mrs. Hallett W. Reynolds of El Paso.

For Commissioner of Agriculture, A. W. Orr of Livingston.

For Commissioner of General Land Office, H. S. Grady of Yukon.

Tarleton College Announces Easy Payment Plan

A plan for installment payments on college expenses has been announced by Dean J. Thomas Davis of John Tarleton Agricultural College for the 1934-35 session.

Tarleton's "New Deal" will make it possible for students to enter college in the fall by making a down payment of between \$9 and \$28, to be followed by four like payments October 1, November 1, December 1, and January 1. Spring semester payments may be made in four installments.

These payments will cover fees, uniforms, books and other supplies, and, if the student stays on the campus, room and board. The variation depends chiefly on whether the student rooms and boards on the campus, and partly by the cost of uniforms and of school supplies.

LET'S RE-ELECT Romee S. Walker For County Superintendent

He's Dependable, Efficient, Courteous

TO THE VOTERS OF CO. IN BEHALF OF SAM B. TODD

To the Voters of Comanche County in Behalf of S. B. Todd, for County Treasurer:

"He is the direct descendant of a historical christian family that left S. Carolina after the war and settled as pioneers in McLennan County on a farm where they lived until 1871. Thence moved to Comanche and lived at the old homestead, northeast of the square, where they endured hardships of West Texas settlers and raised seven children who are still living.

"Across the street, where Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Little live, was the Court House and place of public worship. During the seventies our father served as County Treasurer for 6 years, and later on served as presiding officer of elections until his death.

"A heritage of bravery, honesty, frugality and conservative habits are S. B. Todd's, and these have been contributed to his community and the state and county of his birth.

"He began working for Campbell & Neely when a boy and grew up in the same mercantile business until he became manager.

"His big-heartedness never let him turn down a worthy farmer who asked for credit. This caused his financial reverses, yet kind Providence never let him suffer.

"VOTE FOR THE MAN WHO HAS GIVEN THE BEST OF HIS YOUTH TO HIS COMMUNITY AND COUNTRY.

"The short time that he lived as a pioneer in Hall County, his friends give him credit for successful leadership in securing their first Railroad in the town of Turkey.

"LOOK THE COUNTY OVER AND YOU WILL NOT FIND ANOTHER MAN MORE CAPABLE OF HONEST HARD LABOR."

—A SISTER
MRS. W. M. GUNN
(51-52) (Political Adv.)

ISHAM RE-UNION IS HELD AT BOARD CHURCH

Some seventy-five descendants of the late A. J. and Celia Isham met in the annual re-union at Board Church on Sunday, July 15th.

The morning was spent in reviewing acquaintances and friendly discussions.

At noon a basket lunch was spread, followed in the afternoon by a program presented by the young people.

Out-of-county people in attendance were Lewis Isham and family of Haskell, Less Miller and family of Munday, Ernest Goodson and family of Knox City, Loyd, Charlie, Bob and Aaron Isham and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Nichols of Fort Worth.

COTTON GROVE

Mrs. Pauline Lynch of Wilcox, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Tohe Lynch and family of Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Glasgow, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Howell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Glasgow, and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Guthrie spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glasgow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and family of Sidney visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoll McEntire of Sidney and Noah Chapman visited Mr. and Mrs. John McEntire Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilks Glasgow of Abilene are visiting in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Guthrie spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox at Sidney.

Vote For
LON A. SMITH

—for—
Railroad Commissioner
(50-52) (Political Adv.)

Vote for E. M. Davis for State Senator. He is against creating more political jobs for relatives of office holders. (1tp)

Miss Gladys Cuthbertson, of C. I. A., returned here this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cuthbertson and will leave Sunday for College Station where she has been appointed as one of the State Chaperons for the 4-H Club boys and girls Short Course.

S. C. Findley and family of Abilene were Comanche visitors Sunday.

GAP

The home of Baxter Donaldson caught fire last week from the kitchen stove. With the aid of neighbors and the family, the fire was quickly extinguished.

The Ladies Sewing Club met with Mrs. John Cox last Tuesday and will meet with Mrs. Carl Miller next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Kelsey, who have been living near Brownwood, have moved back to this community.

A number of men met at the old gin lot Friday began work on a Community Club House.

Mrs. Jess Williamson entertained the young folks with a candy pulling Saturday afternoon.

Walter and Miss Sybil Kelsey of McCauley are visiting their father, Dillard Kelsey.

McKinley Phillips and his mother, Mrs. Bud Wilson are visiting her son, Custer Phillips at Abilene.

Mrs. T. A. Weaver of Sidney spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Cagle.

Miss Gladys Donaldson of Gorman spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Donaldson.

SUEZ

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thomas of Conroe spent part of last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thomas.

Miss Maurine Booth is visiting her uncle at Rising Star.

MRS. WELDON PRESTON HONORED AT GUSTINE WITH SHOWER JULY 11

An interesting and unique shower was given in the home of Mrs. Cleburne Willingham of Gustine on Thursday afternoon July 11, honoring Mrs. Weldon Preston, of Comanche, who before her recent marriage was Miss Inez Earl of Gustine.

A mock wedding ceremony was enacted by a number of school girl friends of Mrs. Preston. The ceremony was climaxed by the presentation of a large assortment of gifts to the bride.

Refreshments of fruit punch and cake were served to forty guests, including Mrs. Vas Preston of Comanche and Mrs. R. H. Talley of Lamkin.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED AT PROCTOR SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stone of Proctor observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, July 22, with a dinner.

The following were in attendance at the celebration: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stone and children of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Dixon of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Neal and baby; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Woodford and children of Rochelle, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hanson of Proctor.

B. F. MOORE IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY JULY 15

On Sunday, July 15th, B. F. Moore, who lives five miles north of Gustine, was surprised by his children at his home with a birthday dinner.

The afternoon was spent in conversation and kodaking.

Mr. Moore was the recipient of a number of gifts.

Dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hayes and children; Edgilee and Russell Moore of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dingler of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Sturkie and children of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Moore and son of Brownwood, Weldon Bradley of Dublin, Misses Bennie and Ida Mae Moore, Kennedy and Elthris Moore and Mrs. L. B. Moore.

NEWBURG

J. E. and William Gandy are visiting relatives in California. Mrs. John Goosby has returned from a visit with her sister at Dallas.

Rev. McGinnis of Brownwood conducted a revival at the South Leon Baptist Church last week.

Rev. Jones and family of Ranger spent Friday with Mrs. Lula Gandy and family.

A good shower of rain fell here Sunday.

DEMOCRATIC PRECINCT CONVENTIONS

The Democratic Precinct conventions are hereby called to be held at each voting box on Saturday, July 28th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

For the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention, the Precinct Chairmen will hold these various conventions or select some one to preside and hold them. One vote or delegate for each 25 votes cast for the Democratic candidate for Governor in 1932 is basis of representation.—N. A. PALMER, County Chairman.

Vote for Penrose B. Metcalfe for State Senator; the man who helped Comanche County by voting against the Peddlers Law which would have placed a high tax on those who trucked fruit and vegetables from Comanche County. (Pol. Adv.)

ERNEST Service Station

No one knows how long a car would last if it were kept perfectly lubricated and never allowed to get low on oil.

Let Us Grease Your Car and Change Your Lube.

T-P Gas and Oil—G & J Tires and Tubes

ERNEST TUPIN

VOTE WITH CONFIDENCE



—VOTE FOR—

BOB HAYNES

For Re-Election

County Clerk

You are entitled to honesty, efficiency, courtesy, and promptness, in an office, this we have striven to give you. On our private and public record, we are asking your support for re-election as County Clerk.

To The Voters of The 104th Representative District of Texas

Composed of Comanche and Mills Counties

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation and thanks to my many supporters in Comanche and Mills County who have contributed so generously of their time and influence in behalf of my candidacy for—

Representative

OF COMANCHE AND MILLS COUNTIES

I know that if I am successful in being elected to this important position it will be due, mainly, to the untiring efforts of my good friends of the 104th Representative District of Texas.

THE SUPPORT AND INFLUENCE OF EVERY CITIZEN OF THE 104TH DISTRICT WHO WANTS A MAN IN AUSTIN WHO WILL REALLY REPRESENT HIS PEOPLE IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

J. L. (Loyd) Lightfoot

—ELECT—

Penrose B. Metcalfe

OF TOM GREEN COUNTY, TEXAS

—your—

STATE SENATOR

Record of votes as taken from the Journals of the House of Representatives.

HE IS THE MAN WHO VOTED AGAINST THE PEDDLERS TAX LAW. House Journal Vol. No. 2; 42nd legislature, page 243.

HE IS THE MAN WHO Voted for the RELIEF BONDS. House Journal First Called Session, page 712. Second Called Session, pages 525 and 526.

HE IS THE MAN WHO Voted for the Farm MORATORIUM BILL. House Journal, Second Called Session, page 201.

Vote For R. A. Luker For Representative

BISHOP'S MARKET

TRY US FIRST—YOU WILL ALWAYS BE WELL PLEASED
IF YOU DEPEND ON OUR MEATS AND SERVICE.
We carry only the Very Finest of fresh and cured Meats

TELEPHONE 299

TO THE FATHERS
AND MOTHERS OF
COMANCHE CO.

I Have Often Been Asked Whom I Am Going to
Vote For For County Clerk.

—I Am Going to Vote For JIM LACY.

My Reasons for doing so are:

- Jim is the oldest man in the race.
- He is Honest; He is Competent.
- He is the only FARMER offering for Co. Clerk.
- Jim is like the most of us—broke.
- He says if elected, he can and will pay all his debts.
- He has a large family of eight children—five still in the school age.

Vote for J. B. Lacy and Help an Honest Farmer
Who Needs Help.

Sincerely,

J. E. CHILTON

P. S. Mr. Lacy rented land from me for two years—that is how I became acquainted with his condition and that of his family.

NOTICE!

Notice the dry grass and weeds about your fences and out houses. A spark might cause considerable damage.

Check your insurance policies, to see if you are adequately protected.

Dry, windy weather is a fire breeder.

Why not discuss your insurance needs with us?

J. R. Eanes & Co.

INSURANCE—REAL ESTATE

John D. Waring—

—C. A. Greene

Comanche, Texas

O. B. LOVE

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Latest X-Ray Equipment

206 First National Bank Building
Brownwood, Texas

J. OSCAR SWINDLE



—Candidate for—

COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
of Comanche County

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited

TRAINING and EXPERIENCE:—

A. B. Degree
14 years teaching in Public Schools.
4 years teaching in U. S. Gov't.
Indian Schools.
5 years experience in County Supt's.
office.
College course in Rural School Super-
vision.

POLICIES and IDEALS:—

I believe in local self-govern-
ment, a careful study and
consideration of the needs
of each school, friendly co-
operation between schools
and communities, greater fi-
nancial state aid and less state
supervision.

SIPE SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jackson, Thomas and Misses Fern and Ruth Jackson, all of Sipe Springs and Mrs. Carmen Mosely of Brownwood have returned from an extended visit to the Chicago World's Fair, Detroit, Michigan and other Eastern points.

W. T. Brown and daughter, Miss Cleo and Mr. and Mrs. Milton of Bedives spent part of last week with his brother, Tom Brown and family.

Miss Mary Corrine Early of Breckenridge spent last week with Miss Cleo Winfrey.

Mrs. Katy Joy Kelly of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jay. Her little daughter, Jamie Colleen, who has been here for two months, returned home with her.

Miss Ruby Lee Henderson of Blanket spent part of last week with her uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. John W. Henderson.

Mrs. M. W. Wyatt and grand-daughter, Miss Earleen Morris are visiting Mrs. Wyatt's son, Carl Wyatt and family at Canadian.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morris and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris and son, Norman Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Morris and children, and Mrs. Mamie Scroggins and children attended the annual Morris re-union held at the home of Bob Morris at Sidney the past week end.

Mrs. Molly Hutchins has returned from a visit at Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. Will Beason and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Summers, Barron Summers, Misses Geneva and Ruby Summers, Mr. and Mrs. John Burrows and son and Leverett Hays attended the Hurt re-union at Elm Grove Sunday.

Miss Jean Adams of Santa Anna spent the week end with Miss Thelma Rachles.

Mrs. Grace Foster has returned from an extended visit at Washington, D. C., with her daughters, Misses Aileen and Anna Grace. She also visited the World's Fair at Chicago and other Eastern points.

Mrs. Vera Teeters who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Barnes, has returned to her home at Littlefield. Mrs. Frank Rhymes and sons, W. A. and Gary have returned from an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ford at Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Bobbie Morrow of Desdemona spent the week end with her uncle, C. H. Morrow and family.

Miss Amanda Smith is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith at Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Percifield of Big Spring are visiting his father, John Percifield who is seriously ill at a Gorman hospital.

DON'T SLEEP ON LEFT
SIDE—AFFECTS HEART

If stomach GAS prevents sleeping on right side try Adlerika. One dose brings out poisons and relieves gas pressing on heart so you sleep soundly all night.

—Wm. Reese Drug Co.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

(Put God First)

After looking at the earth for six days we need the Sabbath in which to look up. Let each member be at his or her place at each service. Strangers, friends and people without a Church Home are cordially invited to come and worship the Lord with us in all the services.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School. O. H. Donaho, Superintendent. The Sunday School will be a help to you and by attending the Sunday School and Church Services you will set the right example.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. The subject of the pastor's sermon will be: "Drinking From the Depths."

8:15 p. m. Evening Worship. You will find this sermon different. "The Race of Life."

One of the special features of this church is the singing.

Remember the Revival, August 5th. Pray for the Revival. Plan to attend the Revival.

A. C. Haynes, Pastor.

FIFTH SUNDAY SINGING
WILL BE HELD SUNDAY

The Quarterly Fifth Sunday Singing Convention will be held at Newburg Sunday according to an announcement.

Every one and especially singers and those who enjoy good music are invited to attend according to the announcement of the committee.

LOVELL TO PREACH

According to an announcement, Rev. Johnnie Lovell will preach at the home of J. D. Auvenshine Thursday night, August 2. The public is invited according to those in charge.

Vote for Penrose E. Metcalfe for State Senator; the man who helped Comanche County by voting against the Peddlers Law which would have placed a high tax on those who trucked fruit and vegetables from Comanche County. (Pol. Adv.)

Free!
WILLARD'S
MESSAGE
TO STOMACH SUFFERERS

Explains fully the marvelous Willard Treatment which has brought amazing relief to thousands. Willard's is designed for relief of Stomach or Duodenal Ulcers, Gas, Acidity, Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Acid Dyspepsia, Bloating, Heartburn, Constipation, Bad Breath, Sleeplessness, Poor Appetite, Headaches, due to Excess Acid. Ask about Willard's 15-Day Trial Offer and Money-Back Agreement. Wm. REESE DRUG CO.

COMANCHE COUNTY ABSTRACT CO.

J. R. Eanes, Manager

Comanche National Bank Bldg.

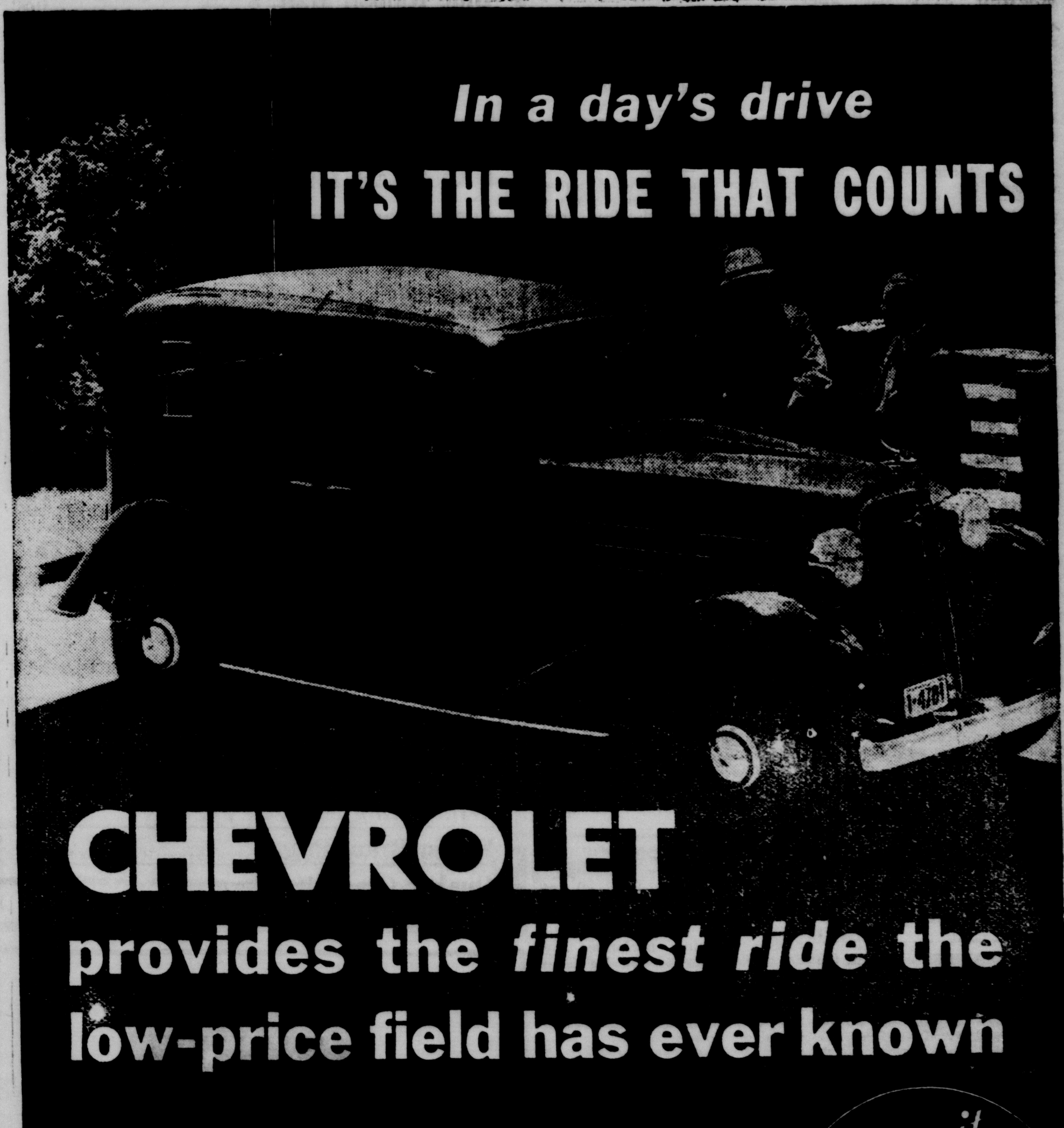
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Whole Sweet Milk
WANTEDFarmers Cheese
Factory

Comanche, Texas

In a day's drive

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CHEVROLET

provides the *finest ride* the
low-price field has ever known

DEALER ADVERTISEMENT

CHEVROLET'S famous KNEE-ACTION ride—what a difference it makes in the whole "feel" of driving! Nothing else in the low-price field comes even close to the sensation of it! The soft, gentle way it smooths out the bumps. The comfort and ease it gives to back-seat as well as front-seat passengers. The safe, sure feeling it inspires in rough-road or high-speed travel. Unless you try this famous Gliding Ride, you'll

be missing the biggest treat in 1934 motoring. Already hundreds of thousands of owners are enjoying Knee-Action in their daily driving. A billion miles has proved its unquestioned dependability. Could you ask for any better recommendation of its ruggedness and reliability?

CHEVROLET MOTOR CO., DETROIT, MICH.
Compare Chevrolet's low delivered prices and easy C.M.A.C. terms. A General Motors Value.

Drive it
only 5 miles
and you'll never
be satisfied with any
other low priced car

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Vote For Judge Carl Hamlin For Congress

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CLASSIFIED ADS

For Good Used Cars, See Clark's
Garage. (Adv)

NOTICE—We have just un-
loaded a full carload of Texo mixed
seeds and La France Flour.—
Farmers Mill. (tf)

MATTRESS FACTORY—The
most modern electric equipment
for making mattresses in the
right way combined with our
years of practical experience will
insure you the best workman-
ship. Rolled edge \$1.00; Boxed
edge 75c. Telephone 137. We call
for and deliver.—Jesse Atwood
and Son. (tf)

SPECIAL PRICES ON POULTRY
—See us before you sell your
cream, and eggs and get the
best prices at all times.—Dublin
Creamery, Comanche. (tf)

Remember to buy your feeds
and seeds at Farmers Mill! (tf)

STOCKMEN—Don't take chances.
Vaccinate your calves with re-
liable Globe Blackleg Vaccine, the
kind that really protects. We
furnish hypo needle and our
prices are right.—Wm. Reese
Drug Co. (tf)

STOCKMEN SAVE—Our Red
Steer Screw Worm Killer will
get the job done better and save
you one-half on your screw
worm bill. Special prices on quan-
tity.—Reese Drug Co. (tf)

FOR SALE—Good clean Hagar
Seed offered below market price
at my barn or delivered to Co-
manche or Gustine.—W. F. Bat-
ton, Route 3. (tf)

Let Gille, the Tailor, do your
alterations for the best results.
Telephone 89. (tf)

NOTICE—With a world wide out-
let, we can pay the best prices
available for your springs, cream
and eggs. Bring us your cow
hides.—Dublin Creamery, Coman-
che. (tf)

FOR SALE—Have 15 De Laine
Bucks for sale. See E. E. Anthony
at First State Bank. (tf)

FOR SALE—A four wheel trail-
er.—R. H. Moore. (tf)

USED TRUCKS—Have several
good used trucks for sale or
trade.—Comanche Motor Co.
(49-52)

USED CARS—Several extra good
used cars for sale or trade.—
Comanche Motor Co. (49-52)

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Light
red, white-face Jersey cow, age
three, some brindle on sides and
hips.—Phone or write Geo. Ross,
Broctor, Texas. (49-52p)

POSTED NOTICE

Our farms, property and lands
of all kinds are posted against
fishing, bee hunting and all other
forms of trespassing. All viola-
tors will be punished under the
penalty of the law.—D. Kerley,
Ed Johnson, Mrs. Currier, J. C.
Ea. Grone, J. H. Williford, T.
Davis, Lon Davis, Glen Stephens,
(46-53p)

FOR SALE—15 lb. refrigerator,
good as new.—Mrs. C. S. Ho-
ward. (tf)

TURKEY RAISERS—Now is the
time to watch your flocks for
intestinal worms. Don't take
chances. Worm your flocks at
the first sign of intestinal worms
and you will avoid trouble. See
us for tried and proven worm
expellants at prices you can af-
ford to pay.—Reese Drug Co.
(50-3)

SALT PRICES LOWER—High
grade Stock Salt, 65c per hun-
dred, 2 big packages Table Salt
5c.—See us for salt.—Brightman
and Sons. (tf)

LOST—Suit Case containing girls
clothing, somewhere between Cot-
ton Belt tracks and Comanche
High School Buildings, Sunday
morning. Finder please notify me
or leave at Chief Office.—Arthur
Bear, Comanche Route 3. (1tp)

GRAPE PRESSING—10c per
bushel in lots of 3 bushels or
over, 15c per bushel in quan-
tities less than 3 bushels. Grape
Juice 35c per gallon.—B. A. Wil-
son, Comanche Route 4, on J. B.
Layne place (52-1)

DISC PLOW WANTED—Will
trade livestock for a four horse
double Disc plow.—Paul H. Brew-
er. (1tp)

WANTED—Bring your cream
chickens, eggs, hides and dead
wool to us. Get our prices be-
fore you sell.—Peerless Cream
and Produce Co.—Near Post Of-
fice.—G. W. Dillin, Mgr. (1tp)

WANTED—A young Registered
Hereford Bull, old enough for
service. Also would trade or sell
a 5-year old Hereford Bull.—J. C.
Welm, Phone 1114. (1tp)

NOTICE—Good work horses and
mares for sale, or will trade
for oats.—Gaston Boykin, Route
& Comanche. (1tp)

—Vote For—
JOHN REESE
—for—
COUNTY CLERK
(Political Adv.)

For ACHES and PAINS
BALLARD'S
SNOW LINIMENT
Penetrates! Soothes!
SMITH DRUG STORE

Vote for E. M. Davis for State
Senator. He stands for real re-
forms in court procedure. (1tp)

LOST—Automobile Crank; be-
tween Cheese Plant and Bob
Brown's Garage. Finder please
leave at Cheese Plant.—G. L.
Morris. (1tp)

QUILTING WANTED—Fancy or
plain quilting done at \$1.00 per
spool. Am an expert quilter.—
Mrs. Gaynor Jeffries, Lamkin.
Address Gustine Route 1. (1tp)

CHARRED KEGS—White Oak
Charred Kegs: 5, 10 and 20
gallon capacity, for sale at the
Denny Warehouse.—Bill Stephens
(1tp)

—Vote for—
BEN WILHELM
—for—
DISTRICT CLERK
(Political Adv.)

COMANCHE HOTEL.
We are still serving first class
meals for 25c.—Mr. and Mrs.
D. P. Walden at Comanche Hotel
Cell and see us about board per-
week or month. (tf)

SHE LOST FAT
High Blood Pressure

Here's Today's Live News
For Fat Women—And Men, Too
Read It—Please.

"I have been taking Kruschen
Salts for nearly a year for my
health, and for high blood pres-
sure and rheumatism and it help-
ed both. My blood pressure was
as high as 290 when I started
to take Kruschen. I weighed 255
and now I weigh 214 that is
losing 41 lbs., in about nine
months and I feel fine. Wouldn't
go without Kruschen Salts in
the house." Mrs. W. Eckoff, Sag-
inaw, Mich.

Besides melting away ugly, ex-
cess fat Kruschen constantly
keeps the bowels regular and
free from waste that is always
apt to poison the system.
Fat folks should give Kruschen
a month's trial—it never dis-
appoints—you'll feel so much
better after taking one inex-
pensive jar which you can get at
any drug store in the world—
keeps you cooler in hot weather.
(Adv)

WILLIAMS PRICES

American Beauty Flour, none
better, \$1.90; 8 Lbs. Lard, 70c;
19 Lbs. Pure Cane Sugar, \$1.00;
Sorghum, half Gal. 30c, Gal. 50c;
10 Lbs. Irish Potatoes, 25c; 5
Gal. Coal Oil, 45c; Quart Fruit
Jars with glass tops, 85c; 1-4 Lb.
Justo Tea, 15c; Woman's Club
Tea, 20c; 3 Lbs. Bright & Early
Coffee with cup and saucer, 93c;
Full cut Blue Shirts, 69c; Over-
alls, 69c; Wear-U-Well Shoes for
the whole family.—D. O. WIL-
LIAMS.

SMITH—SMITH

Saturday night, June 30, at
9 o'clock, Miss Aline Smith of
Van Dyke was married to Bob
Henry Smith of De Leon, the
ceremony being performed by
Rev. Alexander of the De Leon
Baptist Church at his residence.
Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make
their home at Gorman where he
has a position with the Texas-
Louisiana Power Co.

W. B. Wagnon Is Buried At Austin

W. B. Wagnon, an old-time citi-
zen of Comanche County, died at
the State Confederate Veterans
Home at Austin, July 9th, and
was buried in the Confederate
Veterans Cemetery there.
Mr. Wagnon was born in Wash-
ington County, Arkansas in 1849,
and while but a youth, joined
the Confederate army.
In 1870 he moved to Texas
and in 1874 he was married to
Mary Cottrell. To this union 3
children were born, five of whom
survive. They are C. H. Wagnon
of Sidney, Mrs. T. W. Murphree
of Sine Springs, Mrs. H. T.
Stephens of Sidney, Mrs. A. War-
nock of Sidney and Leo Wagnon
of Sweetwater. All his children,
and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jno.
Wagnon, were at his bedside when
death came, with the exception
of Mrs. Murphree who was un-
able to be there.

He is also survived by 24
grandchildren and 12 great-grand-
children.

In 1901 his wife died and in
1904 married Mrs. M. G. Court-
ney, who died in 1920.

Mr. Wagnon was a member of
the Christian Church and was
active in church work for many
years.

—Vote For—
JOHN REESE
—for—
COUNTY CLERK
(Political Adv.)

MRS. CHANCELLOR HONORED

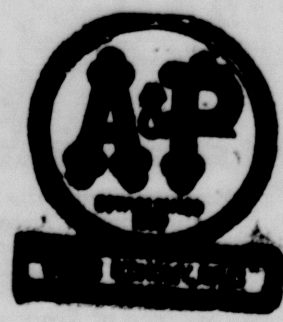
Mrs. Wade Chancellor, who be-
fore her recent marriage, was
Miss Truth Wetzel, was honored
on the evening of July 23th by
the women of the Baptist Church
assisted by a number of friends,
with a shower at the church.
Following a "thunder storm"
the lights were turned on and
Mrs. Chancellor found that she
was the recipient of a shower
of many gifts.
Refreshments of Russian tea
and cake were served.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to our
many friends our sincere appre-
ciation and gratitude for their
loving sympathy and their acts
of kindness to us in our recent
bereavement.—Mrs. B. F. McNew
and children.

Lady Went Back To Taking CARDUI and Was Helped

For severe periodic pains, cramps
or nervousness, try Cardui which
so many women have praised, for
over fifty years. Mrs. Dora Dun-
gan, of Science Hill, Ky., writes:
"Several years ago, when I was
teaching school, I got run-down
and suffered intensely during men-
struation periods. I took Cardui
and was all right again. After I
was married, when I felt all run-
down and was irregular, I always
resorted to Cardui and was helped."
... It may be just what you need.
Thousands of women testify Car-
dui benefited them. If it does not
benefit YOU, consult a physician.
Sold in \$1 bottles.



Nectar Tea

1-4 Lb. 15c

1-2 Lb. 25c

2 Oz. 1kg.—8c

Sunnyfield Bran Flakes, Pkg. 8c

Our Own Tea, 1-2 Lb. Pkg. 19c

White House Milk, 6 Baby Cans ... 17c

Blue Ribbon Malt, 3 Lb. Can 63c

8 O'CLOCK COFFEE	CANE SUGAR
Pound 19c	19 Pounds for 1.00

BANANAS, Lb. 5c

NEW POTATOES, 10 Lbs. 21c

LEMONS, Dozen 19c

GRANDMOTHER'S BREAD	LIFEBUOY SOAP
Loaf 7c	3 Cakes 19c

Sultana Baking Powder, 2 Lb. Can . 19c

Rajah Vinegar, Pt. ... 8c.—Qt. ... 15c

A & P Grape Juice, Pt. . 15c.—Qt. . 27c.

A & P Matches, 2 Boxes 9c

RAJAH	JEWEL
Salad Dressing	Compound
Pt. 17c	8 Lb. Carton
Qt. 29c	69c

Buffalo Matches, 6 Boxes 24c

White King Soap, 24 Oz. Box 21c

Raisin Bran, Pkg. 13c

Quaker Crackels, Pkg. 12c



—VOTE FOR—

J. H. Hollis Burton

—FOR—

County Clerk

—He Is Qualified
—He Will Appreciate Your Support
—He Has Never Held Public Office

Statement of Condition

State National Bank

Comanche, Texas
July 18th, 1934

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts - \$50,168.40	Capital Stock,
Banking House, F. and F. 6,500.00	Preferred - \$25,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank	Common - 25,000.00 - 50,000.00
Stock - 1,650.00	Surplus - 5,000.00
Federal Deposit Ins.	Undivided Profits - 4,001.61
Corporation - 530.49	Customers Bonds - 40,590.00
Customers Bonds - 40,590.00	Deposits - \$231,822.38
Bonds - \$105,075.00	
Cash and	
Exchange \$126,900.10	
231,975.10	
TOTAL - \$331,413.99	TOTAL - \$331,413.99

I WILL APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT

B. RAY McCORKLE

—Candidate For—

County Superintendent

TOM L. ROBINSON

**Makes Statement To The Voters
and an Appeal For Clean Politics**

I have been informed by my friends that there is being secretly
shown and circulated over portions of this county a purported letter
from myself to the Board of Pardons and Paroles withdrawing my pro-
test to the Board against others convicted of the offense of rape on
Velma Bankhead (Davis). That the public might be informed as to
both sides of the matter, I only withdrew my protest theretofore made
because the prosecutrix, Velma Bankhead (Davis), her father, mother,
brother and husband and the jurors, J. C. Shipman who prosecuted the
case and several hundred good citizens of the county who best knew
the circumstances recommended the parole as will be shown by the
following letter which is an exact copy filed with the Board at Austin,
as follows:

"The State of Texas, County of Comanche:

Know All Men By These Presents, We, the undersigned leading
citizens of De Leon and surrounding community humbly request your
excellency to Parole one J. D. Pierce, who was tried and convicted from
this county about the year 1929, tried jointly with Harley Holland.
This young man was reared near De Leon and was never convicted
with any crime before this one. We believe that the ends of justice
has been met and served by this young man and that he would make
an honest and worthy citizen if given an opportunity. Therefore, we
ask your favorable consideration in this case and that you will grant
him a parole.

(Signed) E. L. Bankhead, Father of Prosecutrix.
R. O. Bankhead, Brother of Prosecutrix.
Velma Bankhead, Prosecutrix.
Mrs. N. E. Bankhead, Mother of Prosecutrix.
Chas. T. Davis, Husband of Prosecutrix.

(The above recommendation was also signed by the Jurors who
tried the case, J. C. Shipman, prosecutor, and several hundred reputable
citizens).

After I found out that the prosecutrix and her relatives wanted
the parole granted, I then withdrew my protest.

Two parties from Coryell, a Mr. Powell and Hendrickson who were
in Comanche County about two days working in the interest of my
opponent helped to scatter and circulate this matter but not fairly in-
forming those concerned that the prosecutrix had written the above
recommendation. I could give you the history of these two gentlemen,
but, shall refrain, because I desire to make this campaign upon my own
merits and not upon their demerits or the demerits of my opponent, if
any. I have complimented my opponent in every instance, considered
him by friend and desire to treat him like I desire to be treated.

Let's have clean politics, discuss all our issues, if any, in the
open and accord each and every man a fair and square deal.

I respectfully ask that you join with me in helping to make politics
clean and solicit your support, vote and influence upon my own merits,
record as a citizen and qualifications as an attorney.

Respectfully submitted,
TOM L. ROBINSON,
—Candidate for—
DISTRICT JUDGE.

Vote For J. B. LACY For COUNTY CLERK

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

INFANT IS BURIED AT ZION HILL MONDAY

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lowe, of Dallas, which was born Sunday and died the same day, was brought to Comanche and taken to the Zion Hill Cemetery where interment was made Monday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Gordon Barrett.

Mrs. Lowe, who was Miss Connie Madge Carnes, the daughter of Mrs. E. L. Thompson of Comanche, before her marriage, is seriously ill in a Dallas hospital.

Let's give Comanche County representation in the District by electing Tom F. Rees District Attorney. (Pol. Adv.)

Vote For
LON A. SMITH
—for—
Railroad Commissioner
(50-52) (Political Adv.)

MEALS 25 CENTS
We are serving good meals at the McKinzie Hotel for 25 cents. These will be served to all without notice in advance. Offer business men and farmers do not have time to go home for dinner. Come try our meals. We have recently remodeled our hotel inside and out and are operating a first class hotel at our new location off the Southeast Corner of the Square.

The McKinzie Hotel (14)

Vote for—
BEN WILHELM
—for—
DISTRICT CLERK
(Political Adv.)

Four Comanche County Youths Are In Marines

Four graduates of Comanche County high schools are now serving with the U. S. Marines. They are: Joseph A. Scott, a graduate of De Leon High School; Wren F. Thibaud, a graduate of Thene High School at Comyn; Eugene C. Estes, who graduated from Gustine High School; and Edward A. Randolph, a graduate of Comanche High School. All were accepted for this service at New Orleans during the past year.

Major P. D. Cornell in charge of the Marine Corps District of New Orleans with offices and examining rooms at 535 St. Charles St., announces that two hundred vacancies have been assigned to his district which includes Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, and Mississippi. Applicants must be graduates of high schools or have equivalent or superior education, must be over 18 years old and over 56 inches tall. Evidence of educational and physical qualifications and also of character and standing in home community must be submitted by mail before applicants are admitted to the examining offices.

INFANT BURIED AT NEWBURG SATURDAY

David Cleo, five day old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tinney died at the family residence near Newburg. Interment was in the Newburg Cemetery Saturday afternoon with Jim Bud Farrar conducting the services.

The baby was a grandson of Mrs. J. L. Roberts of Comanche and in addition to its parents is survived by several brothers and sisters.

Vote For—
JOHN REESE
—for—
COUNTY CLERK
(Political Adv.)

Two Shoplifters Strike De Leon and are Quickly Jailed

Two men alleged to be from Mexico, called at the W. E. Howell store Wednesday morning of last week, at De Leon, and while one pretended to be shopping for a pair of shoes, the other is alleged to have stolen three shirts from a prominent counter and made off with them, according to The De Leon Free Press. The men, Jesse McChambliss and Walter Broadlove, were attempting to sell the shirts in the De Leon railroad yards and to a north side man, when they aroused suspicion and were taken in custody by Constable Joe Underhill, who came up just as they were closing a deal to sell one of the shirts to Mr. Estes for \$8.00 in cash and a watermelon.

Upon being arrested, the men were charged with the theft and were identified, after which they plead guilty and were lodged in jail at Comanche.

According to the Free Press, the same two men attempted to steal a box of silk hose at Mrs. Edmondson's Shop Tuesday afternoon of last week, but failed to get away with them. Both men had dope needles on their persons, but neither had dope or money, the Free Press stated.

Pioneer Settler Dies at Pettit

Funeral services for B. F. McNew, 74, pioneer Comanche County citizen, who died at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home near Pettit, where he had lived for 26 years, were held Wednesday afternoon at 6:00 o'clock at Union Cemetery with Rev. E. M. Daily officiating.

Mr. McNew was born in Burnt County, January 28, 1860. He was married to Elizabeth Davenport, January 12, 1888. He became a member of the Christian Church in 1889.

To this union 11 children were born, seven of whom, with his widow, survive. They are Alfred, Jim and Ben of Pettit, Mrs. Myrtle Carlisle and Mrs. Zelma Tanner of Rotan, Mrs. Millie Webb of Snyder and Andy of Mosheim. Twenty-four grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Mae Cameron and daughter, Billie Lou, spent the week end in Fort Worth.

George Hulsey Candidate For Co. Treasurer

George Hulsey, County Treasurer, by appointment, and a candidate for that office, is a native of Comanche County. He was born in the Downing community where he attended school and grew to manhood. He farmed for a few years and then entered Hill's Business College at Waco from which he graduated. He then located at De Leon and became bookkeeper for the Wilson-Whaley Company.

For the past twenty years Mr. Hulsey has lived in Comanche and was for three years with the First National Bank and later with the Comanche National for nearly ten years.

He resigned his position with the Comanche National the first of last March when he was appointed County Treasurer by the Commissioners Court to succeed Mrs. Valter Wagon, who resigned and moved to West Texas.

Let's give Comanche County representation in the District by electing Tom F. Rees District Attorney. (Pol. Adv.)

W. H. Huett's Shop Is In New Location

Huett's Wrecking Shop has been moved to the Old County Barn west of the Fire Station and just back of Joe's Service Station.

Used and new cars parts for sale. Used cars for sale.

We do mechanical work.

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Vote for—
BEN WILHELM
—for—
DISTRICT CLERK
(Political Adv.)

Texas Lady Tells How Black-Draught Laxative Helps All Her Family

Here's how Black-Draught fills the needs of a family laxative in the home of Mrs. J. S. Stoker, Fort Worth, Texas: "The grown-ups in my family," she writes, "have always taken powdered Thedford's Black-Draught for biliousness, headaches and other ailments (due to constipation) and found it a reliable remedy. I was very pleased when I saw Syrup of Black-Draught advertised. I bought it and gave it to my little daughters, ages 6 and 4. They needed something to cleanse their systems and Syrup of Black-Draught acted well." ... Your druggist sells this reliable laxative in both forms. "Children like the Syrup."



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O. J. Light, recently of Dilley has located in Comanche and has taken over the agency for the J. R. Watkins Company for Comanche County. This is the original J. R. Watkins Company, and is not to be confused with any other similar firm. This house has been doing business for 65 years and the agency in Comanche County will be conducted on the usual high standards approved by the company. These products will be sold in Comanche by Mr. Light and he will travel some, taking products to different parts of the county. We are here to co-operate with the people of Comanche and will work for the upbuilding of the community.—O. J. LIGHT.

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Permanents, \$1.00 up.
Wave Set, 25c.
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—for—
COUNTY CLERK
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—VOTE FOR—

Dwight Brightman For Sheriff

OF COMANCHE COUNTY

Most county offices can be filled by a man who is capable of learning the regular office routine in a short time, but that is not true of the Sheriff's office.

We know that it takes a Sheriff two years or longer to learn how to get information which is needed every day by a Sheriff; this fact, together with the knowledge that Texas Sheriff's tenure of office average ten years or over makes us feel free in asking the voters of Comanche County to re-elect to office Dwight Brightman for the next two years as Sheriff of Comanche County.

No one can deny the fact that Dwight has made one of the best Sheriffs for Comanche County that the State of Texas has ever had. News dispatches from various parts of the state during the past three and one-half years are a real tribute to one of Texas' greatest Sheriffs.

During the time Brightman has been Sheriff of Comanche County 76 major law violators have received penitentiary sentences. He has always been kind and courteous and used good sound judgment in arresting and getting evidence against law violators.

We are proud of the record made by our Sheriff and ask that all clear thinking, law abiding citizens of Comanche County cast their vote on July 28th for an officer who has been tried and found at the post, well filling that position whenever called upon.

This advertisement gotten up and paid for by friends of Dwight Brightman without his knowledge or consent. We are glad to contribute this small part toward the election of a real officer for Comanche County.

Please think clearly and efficiently before you cast your vote otherwise.



Will
May

Re-Election

COMMISSIONER,
PRECINCT 2

Two years ago I said a vote for Will May means: "1. Saving in salary. 2. Reduction in tax renditions. 3. Reduction of salaries of other county officers. 4. A full time man on the job without other interests."

All of these promises have been fulfilled. Records of the Commissioners' Court on file at the Comanche County Court House will prove this.

I wish to take this method of soliciting your vote and support for my second term for County Commissioner. Since I am so busy with the county and road work, it will be impossible for me to see each one of you personally. As you all know there has been more work thrust upon the County Commissioner and less money to do it with than ever before. I have tried to be fair with each and every part of the precinct.

I will be glad for anyone to drive out in the country and see our roads. They will be convinced at once that they are in better condition than they have ever been in.

I thank those who have assisted me in those communities. My ambition is to keep building gravel roads. With the continued co-operation of the people and other sources of help we shall build more good roads than ever.

Again I want to thank you for your vote and support.

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J. J. Rogers, C. W. Rutherford, Harmony.

W. A. Langley, B. L. Carmichael, Hick's Corner.

I. W. Robertson, Homer Smith, Imola.

N. F. Williams and J. D. Parnell, Cross Roads.

O. B. Fisher, Trinity.

H. Handolph, Suez.

W. A. Springer, Carl Turney and Elmer Weidner, Wilson.

With these men testifying to my ability as a teacher, I ask with confidence your vote.

Sincerely,

MRS. J. M. RIORDAN,
—Candidate For—
DISTRICT CLERK
(Political Adv.)

Vote For Dwight Brightman For Sheriff

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To The General Public

This being the last issue of the paper in which we may bring our candidacy to the public, I desire to express my deep appreciation to my many friends and those whom I have met, for the many kind things done and said in my behalf. I shall never forget them. Should I have failed to see anyone, I want to assure you that I shall greatly appreciate your vote and influence. I have endeavored to present my candidacy upon a high plane and upon my own merits and qualifications as a citizen and as an attorney. If elected your District Judge, I shall conduct the affairs of the court with dispatch, fairly and impartially to all alike.

Your vote and influence will be ever appreciated.

Respectfully,

Tom L. Robinson
—CANDIDATE FOR—
DISTRICT JUDGE

HASSE
Miss Valeta Donaho of Fort Worth is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Roy Tubbs. Jim Williford, Jr., and family of Dallas spent last week with relatives here. Mrs. Bybee and sons are moving to the Rio Grande Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Riley Havens have returned from an extended trip to South Texas. Mrs. Lonnie Reed and children are visiting her brother, J. D. Dodge and family at Brownwood. Mrs. Roy Tubbs visited relatives in Fort Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. McElroy of Hico spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatchcock. Mansel Hodge of Marble Falls spent the week end here with home folks. Ralph and Miss Jackie Huffman of Monahans visited relatives here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilson have returned from Bryan where they have been attending school. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reese and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reed of Eden spent the week end with relatives here. The Baptist Revival began here Tuesday night, July 24. Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Smallwood returned last week from Waco. J. W. McEntire of Dublin spent the week end here with his parents.

Vote for E. M. Davis for State Senator. He is advocating a plan that will actually cut down the cost of county government.

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SCOTT-BEATY RE-UNION HELD AT VAN DYKE SUNDAY, JULY 15

J. H. Dendy of Albertville, Alabama spent last week at Van Dyke with his sister, Mrs. H. W. Scott. This was the first time in fourteen years that the couple had met, and to celebrate the occasion a large number of relatives and friends gathered at the Scott home Sunday, July 15, bringing baskets of food for a beautiful dinner and supper. The gathering was held under the shades of trees near the ever-flowing spring on the Scott farm and there the re-union was enjoyed.

Eighty-five persons attended the gathering. Families represented were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bozie Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Scott and son, Mrs. Vera Hornsby, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Anderson and Ammi Tiner, all of Van Dyke.

Nolen Fields of Hasse, Millie and Hudson Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dawkins and family, Mrs. J. W. Wozencraft and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Peters and son of De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collins and daughter of Gorman, Mrs. J. S. Davis of McCamey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Lasseter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Loudermilk, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lasseter, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beaty and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beaty of Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hulsey of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Collins and family of Stephenville, E. N. Pitts of McCamey, Mrs. C. H. Simpson and son of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Morris and son, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Dawkins and family of Duster and Mr. and Mrs. Terril Pitts and son of Suez.

The principle attractions of the day, other than the big dinner and supper, were sacred harp songs, talks by J. H. Dendy and Mrs. George Hulsey, and several songs and a reading by little Miss Morene Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hogan Scott. Pictures were taken of the group.

At the conclusion of the re-union, it was voted to make the gathering an annual Scott-Beatty Re-Union, and to meet at the Scott home on the Third Sunday in July each year.

Vote for Penrose B. Metcalfe for State Senator; the man who helped Comanche County by voting against the Peddlers Law which would have placed a high tax on those who trucked fruit and vegetables from Comanche County. (Pol. Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Everett left this week for McAdoo where they will again teach.

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HURT FAMILY HOLDS RE-UNION SUNDAY, JULY 22

The children of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hurt gathered at their home Sunday, July the 22nd for a family re-union. The day was spent in conversation and singing. A basket lunch at noon was a feature of the day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hurt and family of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Summers and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Burrows and son, Bogus Hayes and Miss Edna Earl Whitlow, all of Sipe Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hurt and daughter, Patricia of Blanket, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hurt and little son of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woolsey and son, Elvin of Taylors Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Powers and daughter, Laverne of Hasse, Raymond Woolsey of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Troulove of Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woolsey, with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hurt, at home.

All the children and grandchildren were present with the exception of one granddaughter, Mrs. Russell Lancaster of Bronte.

Vote For LON A. SMITH

—for—
Railroad Commissioner (50-52) (Political Adv.)

Mrs. Minnie West of Kansas City is visiting Mrs. John A. Mohon.

Congressman Blanton's Stephens County Friends Present Official Records

The time has come for Blanton's friends in Stephens county to give the public the following indisputable facts authentically taken from the official records in Breckenridge.

Tonight Blanton concluded 69 speeches since he reached Texas all based upon his record in Congress with pledges fulfilled, and in none did he even mention an opponent. Both Carl Hamlin and Oscar Chastain, have been following in behind him every where he has been, scattering cards showing votes Blanton hasn't carried, but failing to mention their own losses in campaigns. Hamlin has made vicious attacks on Blanton, and is again broadcasting over the district the attack Republican Leader, Frank Mondell, made on Blanton years ago, when Mondell caused Blanton to be censured and tried to put him out of the House, simply because Blanton was fighting to take off of the pay-roll barbers, masseurs, manicurists, chiropractors, cooks, and waiters, and stop them from drawing government salaries, to reduce mileage, to abolish the free distribution of cedar-chests, and to stop allowances for stationery to be used in buying all kinds of merchandise then kept for sale in the Stationery Room.

Hamlin's circulars fail to show that following his attack on Blanton, Frank Mondell was repudiated by Wyoming, where for 26 years he had been the only Congressman, and carried only one county in the entire State, and was kicked out of office, and has long since been forgotten.

Breckenridge Repudiated Carl Hamlin in the Last Two Regular Primaries

Judge Carl Hamlin left his home in Missouri to come to Texas. He has lived in Breckenridge ever since he became District Judge. He received his appointment originally and in due time came before the people of his county as a candidate for election. In the regular Democratic primary for July 1928, the following is the official vote in the four boxes in Carl Hamlin's home city of Breckenridge:

	Hamlin	O'Connor	Bowers	Hamlin
S. E. Breckenridge	44	86	155	116
N. E. Breckenridge	84	97	143	184
N. W. Breckenridge	75	185	240	197
S. W. Breckenridge	67	170	200	178
Total	270	538	738	675

Note that with four candidates running, O'Connor got more votes than Hamlin, and that in Breckenridge where he lives there were only 675 votes for Hamlin, and 1546 votes against him.

There was a run-off in the second primary in August, 1928. Hamlin was then drawing a salary of \$5,000 from the State and in addition was drawing \$150 per month from the government, based upon presumed disability. Although during the war he was never out of the United

States. Being better able to campaign financially, he won in the run-off.

Breckenridge, Hamlin's Home, Again Repudiated Him in Last Democratic Primary of July 1932.

The following is the official vote in the four boxes in Breckenridge in the democratic primary in July, 1932:

	Welch	O'Connor	Hamlin
S. E. Breckenridge	114	78	215
N. E. Breckenridge	131	137	211
N. W. Breckenridge	189	208	398
S. W. Breckenridge	148	140	251
Total	582	563	1075

Note that again three boxes out of four in Breckenridge failed to give Hamlin a majority vote and that Breckenridge again repudiated him by casting 1145 against him, and only 1075 votes for him.

Hamlin's \$150 Per Month for Presumed Disability

Claiming physical disability based upon military service, Hamlin for many months received compensation from the Veterans Bureau at the rate of \$150 per month, while at the same time he was receiving \$5,000 per year from the State of Texas as District Judge. All of this military service was spent in the United States. It was Blanton's resolution No. 355 that caused Judge Hamlin and 4,800 other such officers to be removed from the payroll of the federal government, and since then various boards have held that he could not lawfully draw this pay.

Before Carl Hamlin left Missouri and moved to Breckenridge, Blanton was Judge of the District Court of Stephens County, and not only held the Court in Breckenridge, but also held the Courts in the counties of Eastland, Callahan, Shackelford and Taylor, and kept all the dockets clean. After Blanton left the Bench for Congress the State Legislature raised the salary of District Judges from \$3,000 to \$5,000, and created a lot of new Judges, allowing one Judge for Stephens County alone and two Judges for Eastland County alone.

Idle Judges

Notwithstanding Carl Hamlin holds Court in only one County, when Blanton used to keep the dockets clean in five counties, Carl Hamlin now has undisposed of on his docket 328 criminal cases, of which 165 were filed before January 1, 1931, and 217 civil cases, of which one was filed in 1920, and 15 were filed before November 18, 1922, and 104 were filed before January 1, 1931, and also has still undisposed of 244 other cases on his docket. If he hasn't been diligent as a judge, he won't be in Congress.

The foregoing indisputable facts furnished from the official records of Stephens County, are published and paid for by the friends of Congressman Blanton.

(Political Advertisement)

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to sell a car



There are some things we refuse to do to sell a car. We like sales, but fair-dealing and the confidence of our customers are desirable too.

For one thing, we refuse to poison any one's mind against another make of car. We know what our car is and what it will do, and we are ready to tell you about that. But to imply defects in another car is not our business.

We have done our utmost to encourage intelligent buying of motor cars by showing purchasers how to protect their own interests. All that a good producer asks is a customer who knows quality when he sees it. An intelligent purchaser will speedily conclude that only a bad product requires bad sales methods.

We refuse to keep dinning in your ears that the Ford V-8 is the best, most economical, lowest

priced car. That is claimed for several cars. Obviously it cannot be true of all. There comes a point where claims and adjectives and all advertising hysteria disappears in its own fog. Personally, I prefer facts.

We say the Ford V-8 is the best car we have ever made.

We say that our 8-cylinder car is as economical to operate as any lower number of cylinders.

We say that we have always been known as the makers of good cars and that the many good, well-balanced qualities of our present car place it at the head of our line to date.

Any one wishing to do business with us on these principles will find our word and the quality of our product to be A-1. What we say about economy, operation and durability will stand good anywhere.

Henry Ford

[A letter from Mr. Henry Ford published by the Associated Ford Dealers of this territory]

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—THANK YOU

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(Political Adv.—51-52)

—VOTE FOR—

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CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY OF THE
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He is qualified to fill the office in a manner which the citizens of the district will heartily approve.

His ability, sincerity, integrity, and honesty has never been questioned.

This advertisement paid for by friends of Ardell Williams, who solicit your vote and influence in the interest of law enforcement.

WILLIFORD DESCENDANTS HOLD ANNUAL RE-UNION AT THE STURKIE BRIDGE

The Williford family met on July 17 and 18th, at the Sturkie Bridge, near Hasse for their annual family re-union.

A basket lunch was brought for the first noon-day meal, supper and breakfast were cooked on a camp fire. The second noon-day meals consisted of old-fashioned pit barbecue, sweets, lemonade and tea.

Records show that there have been 2 marriages, 5 births, and one death. Death claimed J. M. Williford, the father, grandfather and great grandfather of the descendants, on January 3rd, in whose honor this re-union was held, and at his wish that the gathering shall be held from year to year.

All of his children were present in addition to 34 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and a number of other relatives. There were 14 visitors, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Wess Nabers of Van Dyke and their son, Tom of Dallas; Mitchell Davis and mother.

M. D. Williford was elected president; Mrs. Luther McNutt was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer; Mrs. C. L. Odell, Program Chairman; J. H. Williford and Mrs. Mae Cameron, Refreshment Committee; Jessie Williford, Luther McNutt and Edd Rogers, Arrangement Committee.

The next meeting of the family will be held at the Sturkie Bridge on Tuesday and Wednesday after the third Sunday in July, 1935.

MRS. MAYES HONORED WHILE IN COLORADO

While Mrs. J. H. Mayes of Brownwood, was the guest of Mrs. Frank Mackey and Mrs. Jake Richardson in Colorado City recently she was a guest at many parties and entertainments, among which was a treasure hunt, a chicken barbecue, a luncheon, and a contract bridge club at which there were only three out-of-town guests. Mrs. Hilliard Watson of Ballinger, Mrs. Mayes of Brownwood, and Mrs. Dudley Snyder, of Marshall. Mrs. Mayes was honor guest at a party given by Mrs. Jake Richardson according to the Brownwood Bulletin. The following is an account of the party from the Colorado City Record:

"Mrs. Jake Richardson entertained two table of bridge players at her home Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. H. Mayes of Brownwood.

Mrs. Austin Bush won high score prize which was a pretty flower vase. Mrs. Mayes received a pretty china basket as a guest prize.

"Mrs. Richardson served sherbert and cake to Meses. Austin Bush, Dewey Tidwell, Frank Mackey, John Summers, Emmitt Grantland, Don Water, M. H. Watson of Ballinger and the honor guest, Mrs. Mayes of Brownwood."

Mrs. Mayes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Shelton of Comanche and Mrs. Mackey is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Donaho of Comanche.

DE LEON MASONS INSTALL NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS

Armstrong Lodge No. 445 of De Leon elected officers at a recent meeting, and installation ceremonies were held at the Lodge Hall Saturday night, July 21. According to the De Leon Free Press the following officers will serve the Lodge the coming term:

H. O. Campbell, Worshipful Master; J. J. L. Barton, Senior Warden; E. H. Rogers, Junior Warden; A. M. Allen, Treasurer; M. E. Blitch, Secretary; W. G. Barker, Tiler; George Caraway, Senior Deacon; H. T. Weaver, Junior Deacon; C. O. Lee, Chaplain; Loy Hill, Senior Steward; G. R. Swanner, Junior Steward; Finance Committee: E. H. Boulter, A. M. Allen and H. T. Weaver.

PARKER IS APPOINTED EASTLAND CO. AUDITOR

D. D. (Don) Parker, for the past eight years assistant auditor of Eastland County, is the new auditor, according to the Eastland Record. Mr. Parker succeeds the late W. S. Michael who was killed a few weeks ago in a car wreck. The appointment was made by the two district judges, Geo. L. Davenport and B. W. Patterson.

The appointment of an assistant will be made by Mr. Parker. Mr. Parker, besides his experience in the auditor's office was for sometime connected with the Empire Gas & Fuel Company. He also served two years in the post office at Eastland and has held other responsible positions.

Mr. Parker is a step-brother of Mrs. Walter Durham of Comanche.

ROME S. WALKER

—FOR RE-ELECTION AS—

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

The same care should be used in selecting a County Superintendent of Schools as is used in selecting a City Superintendent.

If a City Superintendent has been successful no board thinks of releasing him just because he has held the office several years.

Some of the best City Schools keep their Superintendent for an indefinite period.

Romee Walker was born and reared and taught in the rural districts of Comanche County and is thoroughly in sympathy with the rural schools and their programs.

Mr. Walker is of known quality and has made a success as County Superintendent under the present conditions which are entirely different from those of other years. It would be unwise for the people to substitute him during this transition period.

The fact that the rural schools now have the longest terms in their history; The large amount of State Aid secured during the last few years for the Schools of Comanche County; the industrial aid; the fact that the Schools of Comanche County have the official recognition of the State Department of Education as being among the best in the State—are some of the signs of educational progress in the county within the last few years.

LET'S PLAY SAFE AND STAY WITH WALKER

BABY DIES AT DUSTER

Mary Lou, ten day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brewster of Duster, died at the home of her parents there July 10. Interment was made in the Oakland Cemetery.

Sammie Lewis is visiting relatives in Dallas and Denton.

PHIFER'S GASOLINE

You can afford to drive, even for pleasure, if you will fill up on that good Independent Gasoline at money saving prices at Phifer's Service Station, south of City Hall. Also good Lube at a saving and Naptha for cleaning clothes. Give us a trial—The Phifer, Prop.

SINGING SCHOOL WILL BE HELD AT STAGG CREEK

According to an announcement Luther Forbes of White Point has been chosen to conduct a singing school at Stag Creek. The school will begin August 6th according to the announcement.

JUDGE CROSS Has Final Word

I want to thank the people of the 52nd Judicial District for the many courtesies, expressions of confidence and words of encouragement that I have received during the one year that it has been my privilege to serve you as District Judge. I feel that I followed one of the best men and fairest Judges the district ever had and it has been my purpose at all times to keep the office upon the same high plane of service that it was when the duties were laid down by our late lamented friend, Judge Joe H. Eidson.

With a feeling of pride and without any desire to appear boastful, may I report to you the result of my services as a trial judge. During the one year I have served you as District Judge I have had nine affirmances and not a single reversal by the higher courts. During my four years service as County Judge, out of all cases appealed I only had one reversal, thus making five years service as a trial judge with but one reversal by the appellate courts. I mention this for what it is worth to you in determining whether I am qualified to fill the office.

It is urged that it is the law of custom to elect a District Judge from among the lawyers who have served as District Attorney. Let's look at the record of the past and see. The following Judges of this district were never district attorneys: C. K. Bell, Straughn, Oxford, Conner and Lindsey. The following District Attorneys were never District Judges: George, McMillan, A. R. Eidson, Callaway, G. E. Johnson, J. C. Shipman and Red Daniels. It is true that Arnold, McClellan and Eidson served as District Attorneys and as District Judge, but in my judgment they were elected because they were both able and experienced civil and criminal lawyers rather than simply because they had held the District Attorneyship. Certainly each of them could point to one civil contested jury case they had tried in the District Court and to at least one man they had defended. Their experience as lawyers was not limited solely to experience as prosecutors.

Again, I am criticised because the lawyers of the district indorsed me for the appointment. Their indorsement came voluntary. It was not the only indorsement, for about one hundred of my neighbors and friends, doctors, bankers, farmers, laborers, and business men joined in that indorsement. I have not had a single lawyer in this district to improperly approach me about any case. I believe all of them are high class gentlemen and I appreciate their confidence and friendship. I have no favorites among them, and I have endeavored to give all a fair deal.

I am sure there is no record or precedent showing a custom to kick a man out with only one year's service in order to make way for the District Attorney to become Judge.

I entered this race on January 1st, with a feeling of good will and friendship to all and with malice toward none. I have chosen not to deal in personalities or slanderous whisperings. I believe that Kipling's advice "when being lied about don't deal in lies." is good advice. My fight has been in the open—in the clear white light of the unclouded day, and I today close the campaign in the same spirit in which I entered it. I shall indeed be grateful for your support.

R. B. CROSS,
Judge 52nd District.

TO HOLD SPECIAL PROGRAM AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUN. NIGHT

Mrs. J. M. Dawson of Waco, will be the speaker at the Baptist Church next Sunday night. She is coming in behalf of Christian Education, and all the young people of the town are invited to hear her. The mothers and fathers will enjoy the spiritual message that she will bring. Tell your friends, and let's try to fill our auditorium for that occasion. Many of you have heard Mrs. Dawson, and will want to hear her again. If you have not heard her, you can't afford to miss her. Very few preachers can equal her. We hope to have special music for that program and everybody will enjoy it.

Mrs. Dawson will also be the principle speaker Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Baptist Church when the Federated Missionary Societies of Comanche have their meeting. All the women of the town are invited to attend that meeting.—Mrs. Bob Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carter and son, Harmon Gale, and Miss Rubie Carmichael of Abilene spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Carmichael here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson and children of Fort Worth spent the week end in Comanche with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hampton.

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TOM REESE

—FOR—

DIST. ATTORNEY

Comanche County Has Had Only One
District Court Officer in the Last
25 Years.

VOTE FOR SAM LEWIS For COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 2

VOTE FOR W. T. HOUSE FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Will May

Candidate For Re-election
Second Term
Commissioner No. 2

WHAT HE HAS ACCOMPLISHED—

He has employed more men to work in his precinct on the roads, despite the depression than has ever been employed before.

By using good judgment in buying and by using Comanche County lumber when possible, he has bought more lumber, and other equipment for roads and bridges than has been bought during any similar period in his precinct.

All these things have been accomplished and the precinct is now in better financial condition than when he took office.

More road work has been done during the eighteen months of his term than during any other three years.

He has joined with other members of the Commissioners Court in cutting down the expenses of the county and at the same time the efficiency of the service rendered has been raised.

He has stood for the employment of Comanche County men over outsiders where equal service can be obtained and believes that as honorable and capable men live in Comanche County as anywhere else in the world.

HE INVITES YOU—

To examine his record, his books are open for the inspection of the public.

To ride over the roads of his precinct and see what improvements have been made.

HE IS YOUR FRIEND—

He is a friend to the farmer and stands ready with other members of the Commissioners Court to co-operate with the government in securing whatever aid the government is offering farmers in other sections of the country.

He is a friend of the laboring man.

He is a friend of the tax payers and stands for cutting the taxes and lowering the valuation of property rendered for taxes.

He is a friend of the business men of the County and believes they deserve the business of the County, when the price and quality is right.

BUSY ON THE JOB—

At the last election, he was elected by the people for a two year term and has remained busy on the job even during the campaign, believing that the voters will appreciate more this staying on the job than they would him spending his time in seeking re-election.

CUSTOMARY SECOND TERM—

If the voters of his Precinct approve the things he has accomplished and stands for, he will appreciate their votes for a customary Second Term.

(This Advertisement Paid For by the Friends of Will May.)

ADDRESS, MEDFORD AND EGBERT RE-UNION IS HELD ON COPPERAS

A shady grove under spreading pecan trees of Copperas Creek, ten miles southwest of De Leon, was the scene of a happy gathering in July 11, when the Address, Medford and Egbert families gathered there for a pioneer reunion. These families migrated to Comanche County in 1890, and the association of the day was most pleased.

Miss Jeannette Egbert inscribed a huge layer cake with the inscription:

1890

Forty-four years ago this fall Three families answered The pioneer call Address, Medford and Egbert too The Egberts Send This Gift to you 1934

The following families and individuals were present:

Mrs. S. A. Medford, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith and son, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Address and family, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Address and family, McCauley; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Address and family, Sidney; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Address and family, Hamlin; Mrs. Ethel Bales, Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham and family, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Address and son, Brownfield; Mrs. Earl Bell and sons, De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Keith, Jr., and family, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith, Beattie; Orville Smith, Beattie; Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Medford and son, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Morgan and son De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Address, Hamlin.

There were 92 present counting visitors, there were 39 visitors, old friends of the family. —De Leon Free Press.

BLANKET

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lambert of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Evelyn Levisay spent last week at Newburg.

A large crowd attended the Fifty-Mile Singing Convention here Saturday night and Sunday.

Marvin Petross and Joe Ashley are teaching a singing school at the Presbyterian Church this week and next.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones and Miss Sadie Dobbs returned Thursday from Lubbock where they have been teaching school.

The revival meeting at the Church of Christ closed Sunday evening. Elder Moser did the preaching.

John Martin of Sonora came here Wednesday for Mrs. Martin and children who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Virgil Ashley.

Miss Jessie May of Newburg is visiting her cousins, Misses Evelyn and Margaret Levisay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ashley and daughters returned to their home at Lamesa Sunday after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Virgil Ashley.

A large number of the Senior Epworth Leaguers attended a Friday evening.

Miss Helen Ashley returned to Fort Worth Saturday to resume her duties as a nurse, after spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. Virgil Ashley.

Mrs. Payne Robinson and children of Eldorado are visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones accompanied Miss Sadie Dobbs to her home at Ketempey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howton of Amherst are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart of Shamrock are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Nix.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

C. A. Drennan and Miss Clyde Katherine Guthrie, Comanche Route 2, were married at Comanche July 21 by Rev. Thomas D. Moore.

Marriage License

Curtis E. Millican and Miss Cecyle Wilson, Comanche.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bingham, June 29, a son, Morris Edmond.

To Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hall, Comyn, June 20, a son, Jimmie Ray.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waldon, De Leon, June 11, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pate Brewer, Sipe Springs, July 1, a daughter, Mary Lou.

To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott, Sipe Springs, July 1, a daughter, Vesta Joe.

Deeds Recorded

W. M. Brewer to Pink Cantrell, 70 acres out of the Elizabeth Walker Survey, consideration \$20.00.

R. A. Allen to Will Robinson, Mayor of Gustine, and his successors in office, 26 acres out of the James Farmer Survey, consideration \$260.00.

CORRECTION

In one of the two advertisements run for J. B. Lacy in the Chief last week it was erroneously stated that he was a candidate for District Clerk, whereas he is a candidate for County Clerk.

Mr. Lacy, a native of the Sidney community, has spent his entire life in Comanche County. He served as County Clerk two terms beginning in 1908 and after retiring in 1913 removed to Sidney and engaged in the mercantile business until four years ago when he took up farming. A year ago Mr. Lacy moved near Comanche.

REVIVAL WILL BEGIN AT VAN DYKE AUGUST 3

Plans were completed last week at Van Dyke to conduct the annual revival at the Baptist Church. According to Ammi Tiner, the revival will begin August 3.

**"PLEASE DO ME
THIS FAVOR
-AMEN!"**



"PLEASE have the neighbors order a telephone of their own. I had to run over to their house four times today to call 'em to use ours!"

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LOCAL MASONIC GROUP INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

At a meeting of the local Hope Lodge No. 481, A. F. & A. M., the following newly elected officers were installed July 12. Those installed were: J. H. Burton, W. M.; C. A. Greene, S. W.; I. B. Clemons, J. W.; E.

E. Anthony, Treasurer; C. M. Moore, Secretary; Porter Franks, S. D.; G. A. Pate, J. D.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to express our appreciation and thanks to Wm. Chilton for his kind help in settling the Williford estate.—The Williford Heirs. (1tp)

Misses Mary Jack and Thelma of De Leon are visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. C. Edwards.

Mrs. L. R. Brightman was a Stephenville visitor last week.

Miss Lottie Coke underwent an operation for appendicitis at a Gorman sanitarium Saturday.

—VOTE FOR—

George (Hude) Hulsey

—FOR—

COUNTY TREASURER

It has been said that any one who had finished the sixth grade was capable of performing the task of County Treasurer. Under the old law it was possible for any one who could fill in the blanks of a receipt and knew the credit and debit side of a ledger to perform the duties of this office.

Under the new law as passed by the 42nd. Legislature, and known as the Economy Law, which requires counties of less than 350,000 population to adopt the BUDGET SYSTEM it requires the service of an experienced bookkeeper who is familiar with the workings of all the county offices from County Judge to Justice of the Peace, as the County Treasurer is required to keep an itemized account of all accounts paid, and by whom the purchase was made.

I am a graduate of a business college, and have had 20 years experience as a bookkeeper.

I stand for and advocate those things that are elevating, and which go to make the world a better place to live.

Dwight Brightman For Sheriff

(Re-Election)

Solicits Your Support
and Influence



To The Voters

My record as your sheriff for the past 3 1-2 years is open for your inspection. It has been my purpose in the past and will be in the future to administer the affairs of this office in such a manner that I might without apology present my record to the public.

Honest and conscientious law enforcement has been my aim while holding this office and I have made a sincere effort to give fair and courteous treatment to all alike.

Believing the people of Comanche County endorse honest law enforcement, and inviting anyone interested to inspect the records at the sheriff's office at any time, I solicit your support Saturday, July 28th.

Dwight Brightman

FOR SHERIFF COMANCHE COUNTY

VOTE FOR FRANK HOWINGTON FOR DISTRICT CLERK

Vote For Richard Stevens For Sheriff

Political Announcements

The Chief is authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1934.

For Senate, 25th District:
PENROSE B. METCALFE
E. M. DAVIS

For Congress, 17th District of Texas:
THOMAS L. BLANTON
(Re-Election)

For District Judge—
R. B. CROSS
TOM L. ROBINSON

For District Attorney—
HARRY FLENTGE
ARDELL WILLIAMS.
TOM F. REESE
EDISON HOOSER

For District Clerk—
H. F. HOWINGTON
BEN WILHELM
MRS. J. M. RIORDAN

For Representative, 104th Legislative District—
GEORGE W. ROLLINS.
Y. W. HOLMES
J. L. LIGHTFOOT
R. A. LUKER

For County Judge—
H. L. STEWART
(Re-election Second Term)
W. T. HOUSE
R. S. McCHAREN

For County Clerk—
BOB HAYNES
JOHN REESE
J. B. LACY
HOLLIS BURTON

For Sheriff—
DWIGHT BRIGHTMAN
R. T. STEVENS.
WID SPIVEY.

For Tax Assessor-Collector—
E. R. ARMSTRONG

For County Treasurer—
GEO. HULSEY
SAM TODD.
MITCHELL DAVIS
Mrs. Golda McCollum Edwards

For County Superintendent—
R. S. WALKER
W. D. JENKINS
B. RAY MCCORKLE
ELDON FERIL
J. OSCAR SWINDLE.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1—
F. L. LITTLE
(Re-election Second Term)
J. R. BIRD
R. W. FIELDER
H. W. SCOTT.
W. J. RANKIN
C. H. MORROW

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2—
L. A. GLEATON
SAM LEWIS
WILL MAY
(Re-election Second Term)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3—
E. H. McCARTY

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
R. A. KEE

For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1—
R. B. WALDROP
GEO. C. WETZEL

For Constable Precinct No. 1—
DON CHANEY
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OFFICE AT WAREHOUSE
Phones: Office 239—Res. 163

ENERGY

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Caraway and Mrs. Viola Sparks of Gustine spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Oler Caraway and family. Mrs. Jewel Cox and children spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Keith and family of Stephenville. Mrs. Willis Northcutt and sons of Pottsville spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McPherson and family. Miss Maudine Moore of Pottsville spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Caraway and family.

Mrs. Elroy Morgan spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Dingler at Gustine.

Mrs. Carl Cox and children of Pottsville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McPherson and family.

The Baptist revival closed Sunday night. Rev. K. Hill of Brownwood conducted the services.

Mrs. Byron Smith and children have returned to their home after a visit in West Texas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henson and son of Pettit spent Sunday with C. R. Middleton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howell and Mrs. W. D. Howell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Howell at Gustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Youngblood of near Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Moore and daughter of Oklahoma City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baskin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Kemp and sons attended a family re-union at Adamsville Friday and Saturday.

J. Y. Robinson is visiting his son in New Mexico, and Mrs. Robinson and children are visiting her mother at Cross Plains.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for their kindness and beautiful floral offerings at the time of the death and burial of our husband and father, W. B. Cooper.

Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered by us and we pray God's blessings upon each of you.

We especially thank the good people of the Lamkin community for their kindness and services. —Mrs. W. B. Cooper and his children.

Vote for E. M. Davis for State Senator. He offers a plan for reduction of taxes that will work.

WHEN IN BROWNWOOD —EAT AT—

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OWL CLUB MEETS

The Owl Club of the Macks-ville community met in regular session Friday night, July 20, at the home of R. A. McDonald.

The newly-elected President, Elmo Estes, called the house to order and the business session held. The club then adjourned to the dining room where refreshments of punch and cake were served and a toast given Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, two club members who were married Saturday night, July 14 at Stephenville.

Following the offering of congratulations, the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. Skinner is the former Miss Annabel McDonald.

SNYDER VISITORS HONORED

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gay of Snyder, a group of Comanche friends entertained with a picnic-party at Lake Eanes Tuesday evening.

A supper was one of the features of the gathering.

BIBB

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McQuerry of Lynn County are visiting her brother, Jim Blackstone and family.

Miss Una Fern Kilgore is visiting Miss Oleta Kilgore at Dublin.

Edwin Colbough and Granville Salver of Dublin are visiting Floyd Kilgore and family.

Sidney Johnson of Dublinspent the week end with his sister, Floy Johnson.

The Busy Bee Club women entertained their families with a party at the home of Mrs. Rich Armsstrong Saturday night.

Jack, Frank and Oleta Kilgore of Dublin visited relatives here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Knight of White Point spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Russell.

A good shower fell here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clawson who have been visiting here have returned to their home at Colorado, Texas.

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Will recore your old Radiator—make good as new.—Guaranteed and to cost half price of new job.—Well Buckets, \$1.00 each; Well Casing, Flues, Stock Tanks, Cisterns, Gutters. Can do your Fancy Scroll Sawing, any designs such as shelves, what-nots.—Prices Reasonable.—

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ELDON C. FERIL For Co. Superintendent

EXPERIENCE:—

10 Years as a Teacher in Schools as Large and as Small as there are in the County.

EDUCATION:—

Attended the Public Schools of the County, Comanche High School; B. A. Degree from Howard Payne College.



H. L. STEWART

Candidate for COUNTY JUDGE, second term

I Solicit Your Vote on My Record Established During My First Term.

The auditor's report shows the cash balances on hand in 5 of the funds of the County on the first day of January, 1933, the beginning day of my first term of office as \$6,885.73 and an overdraft in 8 of the funds of the County of \$9,993.47, which together with the uncanceled warrants and unpaid bills accrued, in further amount of \$2,520.28, left the county finances overdrawn in the gross amount of \$12,513.63. This \$12,513.63 overdraft HAD to be (From the Official Records of Comanche County)

made up before any money was available for the operation and maintenance of our County Government.

The Treasurer's Report for the last quarter, ending December 31, 1933, it being the last day of a full year of my first term, shows all 13 of the funds of the County having CASH balances totaling \$7,442.11, AND NO UNCANCELED WARRANTS OR UNPAID BILLS ACCRUED OUTSTANDING AGAINST THE COUNTY!

I Actively Participated In This Program of Economy and Able Management



SHUT OUT THE HEAT TURN ON THE FANS

It costs so little to operate an electric fan . . . It will keep the average fan going more than four hours . . . in hot weather it is a good plan to have a fan running in every occupied room. This enables members of the family to get their minds off the weather in the daytime and sleep better at night.

Shut the heat out of your home by keeping the windows closed and the shades drawn on the sunny side of the house . . . on the east side in the morning when the sun first comes up, and on the west side in the afternoon until the sun goes down. Open up all other windows and doors and keep the fans running. You will be delightfully surprised at how much cooler this will make your home.

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Vote For Mrs. Golda McCollum Edwards For Co. Treasurer

B. Ray McCorkle For County Superintendent

(Political Adv.)

THE NEW Majestic THEATRE Comanche

FRIDAY
Irene Dunne In
"This Man Is Mine"

SATURDAY
John Wayne In
"Man From Utah"

SUN.-MON.-TUES.
Pat O'Brien and Glenda Farrell
—in—
The Personality Kid

WEDNESDAY
Richard Barthelmess In
"A Modern Hero"

THURSDAY
Diana Wynard and
Clive Brooks In
Where Sinners Meet

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Comanche.
By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, on the 17th day of July, 1934, by P. L. Crossley, Clerk of said Court, upon a judgment in favor of The Continental State Bank of Rising Star, Texas, a corporation, for the sum of Seventeen Hundred Thirty and no/100 (\$1730.00) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 16033 in said Court, styled The Continental State Bank of Rising Star, Texas, a corporation versus J. T. Landreth and placed in my hands for service, I Dwight Brightman, Sheriff of Comanche County, Texas, did on the 30th day of July 1934, levy on certain land situated in Comanche and Brown Counties, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

An undivided 1-10 interest in and to 705.9 acres in said counties, said 705.9 acres being 10 acres in Comanche County out of William Shrum Survey, abstract 1172; 240 acres in Comanche County out of Lampasas County School Land Survey, abstract 608, being Block 8 and East 1-2 of Block 1 said survey; 150.7 acres in Comanche County, out of Jesse Dickinson Survey, abstract 234, Survey 10, Block 5 of subdivision; 150.7 acres in Brown County, being subdivision No. 2 of Jesse Dickinson League Survey, abstract 1145, being in Brown County, being a part of Subdivision No. 14 of said Jesse Dickinson Survey No. 10; said land being fully described in Deed of Trust Records of Comanche County, Texas, Vol. 46, page 576, and Deed of Trust Records of Brown County, Texas, Vol. 51, page 497, both here referred to for full description, and levied upon as the property of said J. T. Landreth and on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, 1934, at the Court House door of Comanche County, in the city of Comanche, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said land at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. T. Landreth by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice of publication, in the English language, one a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Comanche Chief a newspaper published in Comanche County.

Witness my hand, this 31st day of July A. D., 1934.

DWIGHT BRIGHTMAN, Sheriff
Comanche County, Texas.
(52-1-2)

Let's give Comanche County representation in the District by electing Tom F. Rees District Attorney. (Pol. Adv.)

Would Aid Farmers



MAURY HUGHES

Votes of farmers who realize the logic of his platform will put Maury Hughes into the run-off in the Governor's race, his friends declare. Speaking Saturday night in San Angelo, Mr. Hughes declared that "agriculture was saved from bankruptcy by the farm policies of our President."

Mr. Hughes, in his campaign, has declared himself strongly for the President's policies, and has insisted that the President "needs behind him Governors and legislators of unselfishness and courage who will help him to bring about a complete recovery."

"When Franklin D. Roosevelt took office," he said, "cotton, oats and wheat were selling at less than the cost of production. Cotton has more than doubled in price. Oats have jumped from 15 to 40 cents per bushel. Wheat brought 25 cents and now sells for three times that amount."

"Not only has his farm policy brought higher prices, but Texas farmers have been paid \$75,000,000 in his crop reduction campaign. 'If I am elected Governor I shall champion any piece of constitutional legislation proposed which will guarantee to the farmer the cost of production and a profit.'"

"Under the new deal, the wealth of this nation is to be redistributed. In that process, it must go to the grass roots, because the agricultural industry is the backbone of our economic life."

(This space paid for by Comanche County Friends of Maury Hughes.)

NO. 14227

TREASURARY DEPARTMENT Office of Comptroller of the Currency

Washington, D. C.

July 18, 1934.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "State National Bank in Comanche" in the City of Comanche and State of Texas has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before and association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

NOW THEREFORE, I, J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "State National Bank in Comanche" in the City of Comanche in the County of Comanche and State of Texas is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF Witness my hand and Seal of office this 18th day of July, 1934.

J. F. T. O'CONNOR, Comptroller of the Currency.

—Vote for—

BEN WILHELM

—for—

DISTRICT CLERK

(Political Adv.)

REVIVAL AT PROCTOR

IS NOW UNDERWAY

A revival is now underway at the Proctor Baptist Church.

Rev. L. D. Hornburg is conducting services and Watt Hornburg is leading the singing according to the Chief correspondent.

W. B. Cooper Dies Buried at Lamkin

W. B. Cooper died at his home in Comanche Friday evening, July 20, at 11:20 o'clock, following a continued illness of four months.

A short funeral service conducted by Rev. Gordon Barrett, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Comanche, was held at the family residence Sunday morning at 9 o'clock after which interment was made at Lamkin, following a more extended service at the Christian Church.

Mr. Cooper was 84 years of age and had been a resident of Comanche County for many years.

Mr. Cooper was married in February, 1877 to Miss Nettie McCarty at Lamkin, and to this union twelve children were born.

Mrs. Cooper died in 1921 and he was married in 1924 to Mrs. Jennie Leach of Comanche, who survives him. Children surviving are Miss Berta Cooper of Dallas, Wm. T. Cooper of Levelland, Mrs. W. C. Bryson of Millersview, Jas. B. Cooper of Sidney, Mrs. Stewart Fussell of Austin, and Lesley B. Cooper of Catulla.

Mr. Cooper was a member of the Christian Church.

—Vote for—

BEN WILHELM

—for—

DISTRICT CLERK

(Political Adv.)

LON A. SMITH

—for—

Railroad Commissioner

(50-52) (Political Adv.)

Charles McKenzie Buried Tuesday

Charles M. McKenzie, 47, died at his residence in Comanche Monday afternoon at 12:50 o'clock following an illness of less than a week. Mr. McKenzie was taken ill with tonsillitis on Wednesday morning preceding his death and that developed into pneumonia the latter part of the week and his condition steadily grew worse until his death.

Funeral services were held at the Mercer Gap Church Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Rev. Sparkman of Cisco, former pastor of the Mercer Gap Church, officiating. He was assisted in the services by Rev. Christian of Brownwood, pastor at Mercer Gap. Pallbearers were Findley Williams, Frank Gore, Irwin Gore, Eddie Rogers, Ira Fletcher, Roy Williams and Roy Fisher.

Mr. McKenzie was a member of one of the early families of Comanche County and was born in the Mercer Gap community February 21, 1887 where he grew to manhood. He was married to Miss Oma Couch of that community at Comanche, December 13, 1908. Mr. McKenzie, who was a farmer continued to live in the Mercer Gap community until 1927 when he moved with his family to Comanche and became connected with a produce concern.

Mr. McKenzie was converted in early childhood and united with the Baptist Church at Mercer Gap, of which he continued a member.

He is survived by his father, C. M. McKenzie, Sr., of Mercer Gap; his widow and the following children: Mrs. E. V. White, Mrs. B. J. Pyburn and Nitza Jan McKenzie of Comanche.

Mr. McKenzie is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: George and W. E. McKenzie of Comanche and J. H. J. A. and T. M. McKenzie of Mercer Gap. Mrs. R. B. Waldrop of Comanche and Mrs. M. E. Davis and Miss Berta McKenzie of Brownwood.

MORE ABOUT EXPENSE ACCOUNTS

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tive, \$95.40; R. S. McCharen, for County Judge, \$103.50; Eldon C. Feril, for County Supt., \$87.20; W. D. Jenkins, for County Supt., \$77.55; W. H. Stringfellow, for Constable Precinct No. 5, \$11.95; J. B. Lacy, for County Clerk, \$114.15.

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DISTRICT CLERK

(Political Adv.)

Uncle John Cash Is Buried Saturday

John J. Cash, 70, well known Comanche citizen, died at the family residence in South Comanche Friday, July 20th, following several months of illness. Funeral services were held at the residence at nine thirty o'clock Saturday morning and interment followed in Oakwood Cemetery.

"Uncle John" was born in Talapocosa County, Alabama, July 7, 1864 and was reared in that state. In 1884 he was married to Miss Theodosia Ross. About thirty-nine years ago Mr. and Mrs. Cash and children moved to Comanche and he has since resided. Mr. Cash was for many years a miller, with the Comanche Milling Company and has been connected with other business firms of Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash were the parents of five children, of whom a son, Port Cash, died several years ago and a daughter, Mrs. James McKelvey, died last October. Children surviving are: Dan Cash of Waco, John Cash, Jr., of Coleman, and Mrs. Claude O'Neill of Eastland.

When a young man, Mr. Cash was converted and united with the Baptist Church, later uniting with the Christian Church of which he was a member at the time of his death.

Mrs. V. G. Cash is in a Brownwood hospital for treatment.

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